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Weather

Rough weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 80.8 and the minimum 73.2, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 87.1 and 76.1.

The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe.
Pres. Lincoln, Sept. 18.
FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Wilson, Sept. 17.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Andre Lebon, Sept. 16.
FROM -Europe via Suez, Str. Cordillere, Sept. 15.

Mixed Cargo

Cement-Making
Cotton Shares
Japan's Industries
The Fire And Silk

THE directors of the Green Cement Company of Hongkong have just declared an interim dividend of fifty cents per share payable on the 18th instant. It is reported that the final dividend will be better than last year as the company has installed new machinery which obviates much loss in the process of manufacture. The company is doing very well, in spite of the new factories that have come into existence in China in recent months. Most of the new enterprises have been organised by the Germans, and as must be expected the machinery used is German as well. There is a growing demand for cement and in the course of the next five years it is anticipated that China will be independent of outside sources for the supply of cement. The imports from Japan and Indo-China are heavy but with the extension of the cement-making industry in China a marked falling of in the importations of the commodity from abroad should be felt.

A saner view is beginning to be taken by the Chinese dealers of the possible effects of the Japanese catastrophe on the markets of Shanghai. Hopes of big profits from sale of stocks which loomed large at the beginning, have given place to a realisation that excessive values for commodities are extremely unlikely in the case of most products. The Hongkong investors in cotton shares have been expecting a big demand for cotton and cotton yarn to set in from Japan, and under this illusion there have been keen purchases of cotton shares on the Shanghai Stock Exchange, which registered a sharp advance. The buying has now subsided with a slight recession in prices.

THE COTTON MARKET

It must not be forgotten that the cotton spinning industry of Japan is practically around Osaka, the Manchester of Japan. There was only one mill of any large size in Yokohama, namely the Fuji Cotton Spinning Company with 100,000 spindles employing 3,000 workmen. It is not likely that the loss of this mill, if it has occurred, would prove a factor for a big demand for cotton yarn from Shanghai. Stocks of cotton and cotton yarn in Tokio and Osaka must have been large, but even if all of this has gone up in smoke the factories in Osaka and Nagoya would be able to manufacture and supply the needs of the country without the necessity of importations from China.

In the absence of the actual loss to the stocks of cotton yarn it would be idle to make any definite statement of the probable effect on the Shanghai market, but it is extremely unlikely that the mills in Shanghai will be able to profit by the disaster that has overtaken the capital and chief port of Japan. It is possible that Japan might draw to a greater extent upon China for supplies of raw cotton, in which case we might experience higher prices for the indigenous staple. The next week or so should give us a better perspective of the situation.

EFFECT ON SILK

The effect of the fire of Yokohama on the Shanghai silk market has been very appreciable. Yokohama is the principal exporting center for Japanese silk, enormous stocks at all times being carried in the warehouses of that port. It is but natural that with the destruction of these supplies the world's markets will be compelled to pay higher prices for their needs. In turn, they would have to come into the Chinese market and make their purchases. Where previously everything appeared so gloomy for the filature owners the outlook has taken a brighter hue, and Chinese sericulturists realise that much better prices could be secured for their holdings.

A very sharp appreciation has already taken place in the price of steam filature silk, while in other lines as well a hardening tendency has been perceptible. The United States manufacturers recognise the importance of laying in their stocks now for fear that runaway prices might be witnessed.

Dealings in Japanese silk have been suspended, and no doubt is entertained that the loss of silk by fire must have been colossal. It is difficult to see how prices could remain at the present level or even depreciate. The Chinese holders are assuming a stiff front and cargo is extremely difficult to secure. Should the demand from America assume large proportions much higher values are likely to come about. At present the inquiries from the United States show a marked improvement, but the demand from Lyons is still

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QUAKE ZONE IN JAPAN IS DESERTED BY POPULATION

814,000 Pour Out Of Devastated Districts

TRAINS CROWDED

N.Y.K. Steamers Are Diverted To Relief Work

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, Sept. 13.—The latest available information shows that 814,000 refugees have up to the present left the devastated districts of the capital. The most recent arrivals report that the trains coming out are still very crowded and numbers are also being carried by steamers.

The Nippon Yusen Kaisha, which has transferred its fast Shanghai liners for relief work, is making almost daily trips to and from Tokio and has already brought out 12,000 refugees.

The Shanghai relief ship, Hsinming, has arrived.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Sept. 12.—The grand military autumn manoeuvres, which were due to take place this year have been dropped.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Sept. 12.—Dr. Nakamura of the Central Meteorological Observatory, who has made an actual inspection of the devastated area, makes the following statement:

The recent earthquake was caused by the depression at the southwest points of the Sea of Sagami and by the upheaval all over the districts of Shonan, the Miura and Boso Peninsulas. The extent of the depression reaches some four fathoms in Oshima Islands, while that of the upheaval some three fathoms in the districts of Oiso, Yenoshima and Tateyama. The most serious tremor occurred in the region of Atsuki and Hiratsuka in Kanagawa Prefecture. The aftershocks may last about one week more but there no apprehensions of danger.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Sept. 12.—The Bank of Japan and the Tokio Branch of the Yokohama Specie Bank, which were at one time reported as burnt down, are quite safe, suffering no damage at all.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Sept. 12.—According to investigations made by the authorities in the Kanagawa prefecture, of 4,647 Chinese residents of Yokohama, 2,011 were killed in the catastrophe.

(Eastern News Agency)

Shanghai, Sept. 13.—An "Osaka Mainichi" despatch to the Eastern News Agency says that of 196 primary schools in Tokio 117 were reduced to ashes.

(Eastern News Agency)

Shanghai, Sept. 13.—An "Osaka Mainichi" despatch to the Eastern News Agency states that following the earthquake up to the 11th, approximately 800,000 people have fled from the City of Tokio, the remaining population there being some 1,685,000 in number.

(Nihon Dempo)

Tokio, Sep. 13.—For the benefit of those who are desirous of sending money to persons who are in the devastated areas, the communication authorities are doing their utmost for the restoration of money order service. As ordinary mail service is still suspended, there is at present practically no sending of money through post offices to any parts of the affected districts. Therefore, for the reopening of money order service, reorganisation of the now shattered mail system should be effected first. For doing so, the communications authorities is quoted to have announced that 4 or 5 more days are required.

TO SEND DELEGATE

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 10.—The Chinese Minister at Brussels has been instructed to send a Delegate to the International Conference on Administrative Systems to be held at Brussels this month.

All Nations Banded In Relief Work In Nippon; Big Donations Are Sent

Belgian Royal Family Becomes Patrons Of National Relief Committee; 100,000 Francs Is Cabled To Aid Sufferers From Quake

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Washington, Sept. 13.—The American Red Cross today decided upon an unofficial quota of $10,000,000 as the amount which the people of the United Statse should give for the relief of victims of the great earthquake in Japan.

The Red Cross is continuing its campaign for funds.

The State department today announced that it had sent a message to Premier Yamamoto assuring Japan of the warmest sympathy of the United States.

(Nihon Dempo)

Kobe, Sept. 13.—The Chinese Relief Mission headed by Mr. Hsu, left Kobe today for Tokio on board the steamer "Shanghai Maru." The contingent is composed of 5 physicians and 20 nurses, besides two representative Chinese.

(Rosta News Agency)

Moscow, Sept. 8.—The Russian steamship "Benin" has left Vladivostok for Japan with one thousand tons of foodstuffs and carrying on board a sanitary corps with medicaments to the value of 400,000 gold roubles.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Sept. 12.—M. Poincare has approved the opening of a public subscription by the Parisien press for Japanese relief.

(Reuter's Service)

Melbourne, Sept. 12.—Lady Forster, the wife of the Governor-General, has issued a Red Cross appeal for Japanese relief. The steamer Australmount will leave Sydney on September 15 for Kobe, and from there will visit any other port in Japan if necessary.

(Reuter's Service)

Brussels, Sept. 12.—The King and Queen and the Royal Princes have become patrons of the Belgian National Committee for Japanese relief which, as a first donation, has cabled 100,000 francs through the Belgian Ambassador in Japan.

(Reuter's Service)

Simla, Sept. 12.—A sum of £15,000 has up to the present been subscribed to the Viceroy's Japanese relief fund. A central committee is dealing with collections and expenditure.

(Reuter's Service)

Rome, Sept. 12.—The Pope today sent $20,000 to the Apostolic Delegation in Washington for remittance to Tokio for the benefit of the sufferers in the Japanese earthquake.

(Eastern News Agency)

Tokio, Sept. 12—The authorities of the Foreign Office, as a result of consultation with the Chinese charge d'affairs regarding relief for Chinese survivors, have decided to provide some 300 Chinese students and some 1,000 Chinese sufferers, who desire to return home, with their travelling expenses and other facilities and to send them home on board the Taiun Maru and the Nansei Maru which sail from Shinagawa direct for Shanghai on the 14th and the 16th, respectively.

(Eastern New Agency)

Tokio, Sept. 12.—The first joint meeting of the Relief Society composed of members of the House of Peers and the House of Representatives as well as leading businessmen, was held on the September 11 at the Tokio Chamber of Commerce, when a discussion was held over the regulations of the Society and 15 parliamentarians of both houses and 20 businessmen were selected as an executive committee.

(Reuter's Service)

Montreal, Sept. 13.—The Government is arranging to spend $200,000 in the purchase and shipment of supplies to Japan.

The Toronto Red Cross Society will raise $100,000.

U. S. WARSHIP IN COLLISION WITH STEAMER

Accident Occurs Near Rocks Where Destroyers Went Down

(Reuter's Service)

San Pedro, Cal., Sept. 12.—The American battleship Texas, steaming in a dense fog, collided with the Isthmian liner, Steel Seafarer, today, near the rocks on which the seven destroyers were wrecked. The Steel Seafarer was holed above the water-line, and is proceeding under her own steam to San Francisco.

BRITISH HEIR IN CANADA TO VISIT RANCH

Prince Arrives At Quebec After Enjoyable Voyage

(Reuter's Service)

Quebec, Sept. 12.—The Prince of Wales, travelling as Lord Renfrew, arrived here this morning on board the Empress of France, the officers of which state that the Prince thoroughly enjoyed the voyage.

The only welcome of an official character was a call by the Governor-General's aide-de-camp. The Prince of Wales will proceed almost immediately to his ranch in Alberta.

Kindergarten Tots Give Their Pennies For Disaster Relief

Eloquent evidence of the universal appeal made by the plight of the earthquake sufferers in Japan is to be seen in the response to the calls for aid of the children of Mrs. M. Cuthbert's kindergarten, 26 Nanzing Road.

The tots in this school, on the catastrophe being explained to them, began turning in their coppers and other small spending money. There are about forty pupils in the kindergarten and Mrs. Cuthbert yesterday turned over to THE CHINA PRESS the sum of $6 made up by the donations of the sympathising youngsters. The amount will be turned over by THE CHINA PRESS to the foreign relief fund.

MUSSOLINI SEES PEACE WITH GREECE

Council Decision Meets His Demands

LEAGUE BALKED

Firmness Of Italy Blocked Plan To Intervene

(Reuter's Service)

Rome, Sept. 12.—In a speech at the Cabinet meeting today Signor Mussolini stated that the conflict between Italy and Greece was in a fair way to settlement as the Conference of Ambassadors had substantially adopted the demands contained in Italy's first ultimatum.

Italy's firmness had prevented the intervention of the League of Nations. Corfu would be evacuated when Greece had completely performed her duty, fulfilling the demands of the Ambassadors' Note. The public opinion of the countries which had at first been hostile, was changing, thanks to the splendid display of Italian unity.

Referring to Fiume, the Premier said that a final proposal, which was absolutely fair and conciliatory, had been made by Italy to Belgrade. No reply to it had hitherto been received and therefore judgment and comment were premature. There was always a possibility of direct agreement without recourse to arbitration especially if the Belgrade Government had learned to estimate the relations between the two Governments from a less narrow, local point of view.

Referring to the debates on the questions of reparations and the Ruhr, Signor Mussolini forecasted the beginning of decisive pourparlers in the near futuro. It must not be thought, he declared, that a solution was easy and imminent, but the horizon would clear. Passive resistance had no sense or utility, and its pursuit would lead deliberately to a catastrophe. Therefore the Italian Government had intervened to convince Berlin.

(Reuter's Service)

Geneva, Sept. 12.—At the meeting of the Assembly of the League of Nations today Viscount Ishii, who was received with cheers, intimated that the dispute between Italy and Greece was in a fair way to solution.

It was advisable at present to refrain from discussion in order not to hamper the Council in the further negotiations. M. Loudon (Netherlands) alone spoke hoping that the Council would submit a statement on the subject before the sittings of the Assembly terminated.

Big Stocks Cause Rubber Depression

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 12.—The fall in price of raw rubber to 1s. 3⅝d. per lb. is attributed by the Times to the increase in the stocks in London to 49,801 tons, as compared with 37,500 tons a fortnight ago, as a result of delivery of rubber which was held up owing to the dock strike.

KEARNEY APPEARS BEFORE LOBINGIER THIS AFTERNOON

Alleged Conspiracy And Arms Case In American Court

Captain Lawrence D. Kearney will be arraigned before Judge Charles Sumner Lobingier in the United States Court for China at 3 o'clock this afternoon on information filed against him directly by U. S. District Attorney Leonard G. Hurar charging him with conspiracy in the alleged importation of arms and ammunition.

In the information Capt. Kearney is alleged to have conspired with Admiral Starck of the old Imperial Russian Navy, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Horowitz, Mr. George Mayer and others to buy a quantity of arms and ammunition from Russian vessels anchored off Woosung and import them into China.

Captain Kearney has already had a preliminary hearing before U. S. Commissioner Nelson E. Lurton on similar charges, but in this case the information has been filed against Kearney direct before Judge Lobingier.

Oriental Line Crew Sends Relief Fund Here From Colombo

Another striking instance of the widespread and immediate response evoked by the news of the Japan disaster was recorded here yesterday when the local offices of the Admiral Oriental Line received the cabled amount of Tls. 267 from the crew of the U. S. steamer Independence, now in Colombo.

The men of the Independence, who had just been paid off, made up a subscription list as soon as word of the catastrophe reached them and forwarded the money through the master, Captain Hawkins, to the company's offices here, with the request that it be devoted to relief work.

Woman Attorney-General Asks Woman's Prison

Mrs. Mabel Willibrandt & Dist. Atty. Hager

MRS. Mabel Willibrandt, of California, Assistant Attorney General of the United States, famous as the author of the opinion that drove liquors off every ship flying the American flag, is shown in conference with District Attorney Hager, with whom she is working in the interests of a separate prison for women offenders against Federal laws.

LAWSUIT OVER JEWELRY BRINGS FORGERY CHARGE

Receipt For Rings And Bangles Issue Before Judge Lobingier

Two women battled before Judge Charles Sumner Lobingier in the United States Court for China for possession of jewelry alleged to be valued at G. $5,500 today. Mrs. [illegible] of Hongkong sued Mrs. Lucille Flegman, who conducts a boarding house at 633 Rue Ratard for return of the jewelry which she alleges she gave to Mrs. Flegman to sell.

Mrs. Greenfield was represented by Mr. H. D. Rodger of Rodger and Husar, and Mrs. Flegman was represented by Mr. C. S. Franklin After the testimony was taken of both the plaintiff and the defendant and Mr. Greenfield the case was continued for sixty days to permit the defense to secure certain letters from Honolulu.

Mr. and Mrs. Greenfield both testified that the jewelry, with the exception of some pearls, was received by them from a Hongkong jeweler to whom they made a loan of $10,000. The jewelry, they testified, consisted of a cigar box full of pearls of various sizes and grades which Mr. Greenfield had collected in the pearl fisheries of Zamboanga, Jolo and Illoilo at a cost of between four and five thousand pesos.

A JEWELRY STORE

The other jewelry, they testified, consisted of about 36 necklaces valued at $45 each, from 12 to 18 pairs of ear-rings valued at $50, a dozen pairs of bangles, a dozen or so silver mesh bags, a dozen and a half stick pins, and about 200 rings set with rubies, pearl, jade, etc. All the jewelry was pure gold.

The jewelry, they declared, had been turned over to Mrs. Flegman to sell on a commission basis, and she had given them a receipt for the assortment reading "received, a lot of junk, valued at G. $5,500," and then describing some of the articles. Mrs. Flegman, they testified, hadn't paid them a cent nor returned the jewelery.

CLAIMS FORGERY

Mrs. Flegman on the witness stand admitted that she had received some jewelry from Mrs. Greenfield, but asserted that the receipt she gave called for jewelry valued at G.$500 and that the receipt produced by the plaintiffs in court was a forgery.

In turn Mrs. Flegman, in her answer, alleges that the Greenfields owe her over $500 gold for overcharge on a shipment of furniture valued at $3,600 which she had ordered for the People's Theater in Honolulu.

CHOW TSZ-CHI ILL

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 10.—Mr. Chow Tsz-chi, former Minister of Finance, is lying seriously ill at his residence in Tung Tsungpu Hutung.

MUNITIONS ON JAPANESE SHIP, ICHANG REPORT

Passengers On Arrival Tell Of Looting Of Iyang Maru

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 13.—A Japanese gunboat was expected to arrive at Foochow yesterday with a representative [illegible] and also a representative of the Nisshin Kisen Kaisha, whose steamer, the Iyang Maru, was attacked. The representatives will conduct an investigation of the outrage and endeavor to obtain the release of the imprisoned members of the crew and passengers.

(Independent News Service)

Ichang, Sept. 9.—Steamers now arriving are bringing refugee passengers from the Iyang Maru. They report that 72 cases of ammunition were found on the steamer which were being smuggled for the use of northern troops.

Szechuen soldiers looted the Iyang Maru and carried away with them everything on board that was moveable. Preparations are being made to resist any Japanese naval forces that may arrive. No other steamers are being molested.

The fighting in and around Chungking has become so severe that business in that section is entirely paralysed.

(Eastern News Agency)

Peking, Sept. 13.—Mr. Yoshizawa, Japanese Minister to Peking, yesterday, at noon, paid a visit to Dr. Wellington Koo, Chinese Minister for Foreign Affairs, and called the serious attention of the Chinese Government to the incident involving the N. K. K. boat, Iyang Maru, and demanded that the Chinese Minister for Foreign Affairs take emergency measures.

Woman Reported Killed In Quake Safe In Kobe

One foreign woman reported dead in the Yokohama disaster is not dead, but alive and uninjured, according to a cablegram received by Thomas Cook and Son yesterday. She is Miss. Edith Clark of Cook's staff in Yokohama, who was reported to have been killed in the earthquake. She wired from Kobe yesterday that she was safe.

Calender's Cable and Construction Company, Ltd., have also received word that Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kibblewhite, who were last heard of at Nikko, are safe at Kobe and are coming to Shanghai on the Andre Lebon, which is bringing the second lot of refugees to this port on Saturday.

U.S. TO HOLD ALOOF FROM REPARATIONS CONFERENCE

Will Not Participate If Invited Says Washington

LOAN IS FAVORED

Bankers Would Take Part In Aiding Germany

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Washington, Sept. 13—It was authoritatively learned here today that the United States would decline to participate in a world conference on reparations if it were invited to do so.

American bankers favor participation in a loan to Germany.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Sept. 12.—In order to prevent misunderstanding with regard to the nature of the present relations between France and Germany, it is authoritatively emphasised that there have been no negotiations between the two Governments through the French Embassy in Berlin since the French Government refuses to negotiate until passive resistance is called off but that there have been interviews between M. de Margerie and Dr. Stresemann constituting an establishment of contact.

It is not anticipated that the German Government will appoint an Ambassador to Paris until negotiations can be opened.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Sept. 12.—The Chancellor, Dr. Stresemann, addressing representatives of the German press, said clearly that the solution of the Ruhr trouble could not be achieved solely by the continuance of passive resistance nor by a policy of force. The Government would do a great service if it could shorten the dispute, but the feelers hitherto extended showed the difficulties existing on the question of the Rhineland and the regaining of the freedom of the Ruhr, which was decisive to Germany who was ready to give real guarantees for it.

Replying to M. Poincare's speech on September 9, Dr. Stresemann contended at length that the pledges Germany now offered were real negotiable assets, which went beyond the mortgages provided by the Treaty of Versailles and that France would come into immediate possession of large sums.

Germany must, however, first be given the right to administer the Ruhr and must recover the sovereignty of the Rhineland. These pledges were capable of solving the question of passive resistance, provided that assurance was given that on such an understanding the Ruhr would be evacuated and the Rhineland would be given its former rights.

If they received the assurance that everyone whose home was in the Rhineland or the Ruhr would be restored to his home, there was no reason why the region should not regain its former zest for work. He trusted that such a settlement would be possible.

The Government had been assured by leading representatives of industry and finance that they would take their share of obligations in connection with the proposed scheme. The possibility of understanding depended on whether a suitable atmosphere could be created.

Dr. Stresemann finally expressed the hope that France's rulers would share the view that it was now necessary to secure peace by a policy of justice which would be calculated to dispel National passions and thus give guarantees of lasting peace.

M. P.'S EXPECTED

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 10.—It is reported in Parliamentary circles that a number of M. P.'s will leave Nanking in time to reach Peking for the Presidential election.

BRITISH FIRMS SCAN JAPANESE INSURANCE PLAN

Proposal To Pay Losses From Earthquake Is Closely Watched

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 12.—The announcement that Japanese insurance companies have decided to pay their full losses without availing themselves of the earthquake clauses closely concerns British companies with which Japanese companies are reinsured.

The consensus of opinion in the London insurance market is that Japanese companies cannot pay the claims not strictly covered by their policies without consultation with the re-insuring company.

In the event of Japanese companies admitting claims not covered in the original policies, the extent of the liability of the re-insuring companies will be a matter for negotiation and adjustment.

(Eastern News Agency)

Shanghai, Sept. 13.—An "Osaka Mainichi" despatch to the Eastern News Agency reports:—

The Bank of Japan has already advanced 50,000,000 Yen to life insurance companies and will, it is understood, accommodate them with more loans in case of necessity. It seems likely that the Bank of Japan will also advance money to fire insurance companies if requested by the latter.

TWO PRESIDENT SHIPS BRING MAIL WITHIN A WEEK

President Lincoln Takes Next Mail Out Tuesday

The President vessels are arriving from the United States shortly and taking the next mail for the East, the President Lincoln will leave from Woosung for San Francisco via Japan ports and Honolulu on Tuesday.

The President Wilson will arrive from Kobe tomorrow and is due to dock at the China Merchants Central Wharf next Monday. She will sail for Hongkong and Manila on Wednesday, September 19. The McKinley which usually brings a heavy mail, is expected in Shanghai from Seattle via Japan ports next Sunday. The latter boat may be delayed on account of taking refugees in Japan, although no definite word has been received.

Taking the next mail for Europe via the Suez, the M. M. steamer Andre Lebon will be dispatched from the lower buoys early Sunday afternoon, and the tender with outgoing passengers will leave the French Mail Jetty at 10 a.m. The liner is due here from Kobe tomorrow.

The P. and O. liner Sicilia which was to have sailed from Shanghai for Bombay yesterday, has been delayed and will now leave for that port today. The tender with outbound passengers is to leave the Customs jetty at 11 o'clock this morning.

The Karmala which docked at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf last Tuesday, and was scheduled to sail for Japan ports today, is also delayed. The vessel will now leave this port tomorrow at noon. The Nellore, from London on August 17, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai next Monday at noon.

The Columbia Pacific steamers West Jena and Wawalona, both from Portland, Oregon, are indefinitely delayed owing to their being used in Japan for relief work, and are now plying between Yokohama and Kobe.

Shantung Tuchun Assailed By M. P's

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 10.—Shantung M. P.'s are trying hard to have General Tien Chung-yu ejected from the tuchunship of Shantung in favor of Mr. Cheng Shih-chi, Associate Military Director, who will be remembered for his efforts in effecting the release of the foreign passengers captured by bandits at Linchang.

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The Prince Regent

Crown Prince Hirohito

THE Prince Regent who is at the head of all relief work in the devastated regions.

CHINESE POLICE OFFICER ACCUSED OF TAKING BRIBES

OFFICER ACCUSED

A Chinese police sergeant, attached to the Mixed Court before Assessor Jacobs and Magistrate Loh yesterday charged with accepting bribes in connection with the erection of buildings in the Wayside district.

The case for the police was outlined by Chief Inspector O'Toole, of Wayside station, and Mr. H. D. Rodger appeared for the defendant.

Chief Inspector O'Toole stated that information to the effect that the accused was accepting bribes came through another Chinese police sergeant, who gave evidence of five persons alleged to have paid over money. Four were located. Three of the cases, witness said, involved sums of $10 each in connection with the erection of new houses or added improvements. The other was in connection with the carrying on of a religious ceremony. The sergeant was alleged to have entered the premises and refused to allow the ceremony to go on until $38 had been paid. The accused, witness said, was identified from among others by the complainants.

Mr. Rodger asked that a small bail be granted and said he was convinced that his client was the victim of a conspiracy. He had been in the force for ten years and no previous complaint had been made against him. Counsel was convinced that the informer and others had deliberately "faked" the case.

Chief Inspector O'Toole took exception to this, remarking that it would be next to impossible to get five reputable witness to come forward and give voluntary evidence unless there were guilt. The amount of the alleged bribes was small, but the offense was serious, so he would ask for suitable bail.

The case was remanded one week, accused placed under $500 bail.

INDIA ELECTION

(Reuter's Service)

Simla, Sept. 13.—The Viceroy has dissolved the Legislative Assembly and directed that a general election be held in December, the new Assembly to meet in Delhi in the middle of January.

SUE TRAMWAYS IN TEST ACTION ON OVERCROWDING

Police Bring Interesting Case Into British Court

An important test action brought against the Shanghai Electric Construction Company by the police in connection with the overcrowding of tramcars came before Magistrate G. W. King in the British Police Court yesterday.

Two charges are made against the defendant company, one of carrying a greater number of passengers than the Municipal regulations allow and one of failing to have the permissible number of passengers allowed painted upon the cars in a legible manner. Mr. Eardley Maitland appeared to prosecute and Mr. R. N. Macleod appeared for the defense.

The first witness called was Chief Inspector Kerrigan, of Louza station, who stated that on September 6 he stopped a tramcar at about 12:15 p.m. on Nanking Road at the Chihli Road corner. Before he could get into the first class compartment at the front of the tram, he had to request three people to step down. They were riding on the footboard. In the first class compartment there were 15 people standing and 14 seated, whereas the regulations stipulated seats for twelve and standing room for four, the excess being 13. In the third class compartment, to enter which he had to ask two or three people to get off, he found 33 people standing and 17 seated. According to the regulations there should be seats for 13 and standing room for 12. The car did not show the number of people it was authorised to carry.

In response to questions by Mr. Macleod, Inspector Kerrigan stated that no one was removed from the car. This had been tried before but without result. A crusade against overcrowding had been started many months ago and was still going on. People were sent to Chekiang Road every morning to endeavor to stop overcrowding, as a result of a traffic regulation effective August 31, 1922, against persons riding on the footboards.

Asked if he could tell how the regulation might be carried out, the witness replied that it could be done by installing gates at the car entrances. He thought such a provision necessary and did not think that it would make stops unduly long. He admitted that the regulation regarding overcrowding would be harder to carry out than the one regarding riding on the footboards.

After Mr. Maitland had announced the closing of the case for the prosecution Mr. Macleod submitted that the case against his clients was a most incomplete one, as there had been no proof of the regulations submitted. Mr. Maitland stated that they had been published in the Municipal Gazette, a copy of which was then put in.

Mr. Macleod submitted that the regulation was ultra vires and moreover was not reasonable and he thought the second ground was quite sufficient to dispose of the prosecution's case. According to the bye-laws "wilful disobedience of any reasonable regulation" must be shown and he submitted that it was for opposing counsel to show the reasonableness. He then referred at length to the controversy between the company and the Council in recent years and said that what the latter had tried to do was alter the terms of its contract with the company by legislating new regulations and bringing criminal action. In reply to the court he said he would produce the contract, and asked for immediate dismissal.

Mr. Macleod declared that the regulation could not possibly be carried out under present conditions and that he could satisfy the court that there was no possibility of the company complying with the suggestion of gates when the regulation was published. An offer had been made to install gates and the company was now on the point of making tests in this connection. Mr. Macleod then dealt with the traffic problem in Shanghai, stating that the company had made no extensions for many years, except in the matter of railless trams, while the increase in passengers carried had been from eleven million in 1909 to twenty-two million in 1922.

Mr. Donald McCall, general manager of the tramway company, was called as a witness and the case was continued.

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Announcement is made of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin M. F. Guignard on September 13 at the Victoria Nursing Home.

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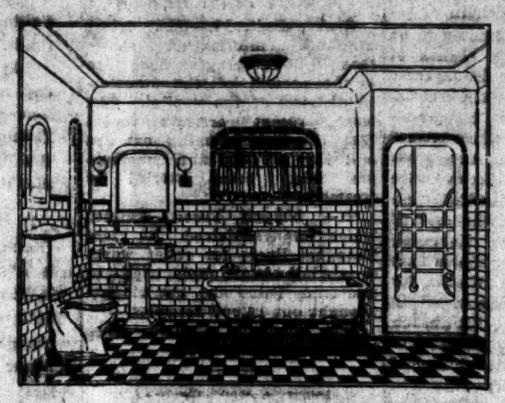

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UB IS FORMED OR STUDY OF HE SHORT STORY

l Professional And ateur Writers Organise; Meet Sept. 24

roup of thirty professional amateur writers has formed Short Story Club of Shangha the purpose of studying the t story and to writing it. At end of the club season the t stories produced by mem- will be printed in a book. meeting of the club has been unced for Monday evening, mber 24, at the home of Dr. Mrs. A. H. Swan, 82 Route y Zoong, when new members be elected and a course o initiated. Mrs. Gordon B. es will be the guest of honor will read selections from her book, "Swinging Lanterns."

he following are the officers he new organization: Verne on, president; Mrs. J. J. nell, vice-president; Miss M. ise Loehr, secretary-treasurer. cutive Committee: Dr. A. H. n, chairman; Mrs. M. A. hr, Mrs. C. H. Lavers, Mrs. leton Lacy and Rev. C. M. ry. Editorial Committee: Ruth Benedict, chairman; Lucile Douglass, Miss Mar- t Powell, Mrs. R. W. Davis Mr. J. L. Butts.

The initial meeting of the club held recently at Shanghai ege when the organisers were guests of Miss M. Louise hr at a picnic supper and onlight swimming party. Miss hr's party was preceded by a iness meeting and a literary ram, conducted by Mr. Dyson, or of Rea's Far Eastern nual. Mrs. J. J. Connell gave wers to the question, "What a short story?" and the Rev. C. Drury outlined the history and velopment of the story-telling . Other features of the study re discussed by Dr. A. H. Swan l Mr. P. L. Bryant.

The organisers voted to limit active membership to thirty, e wives and husbands of active mbers were taken in as as- iate members and invited to end all meetings. As a stimulus literary production it was ovided in the constitution that y member who does not write least one finished short story about 3,000 words during the b year is automatically drop- d from the membership.

ose are the charter members the club: Verne Dyson, J. L. tts, Mrs. J. J. Connell, Dr. A. Swan, Rev. C. M. Duruy, Mrs. A. Loehr, Miss M. Louise ehr, George R. Loehr, Miss n C. White, R. B. Libby, P. L. yant, Miss Ruth Benedict, Mrs. H. Lavers, Mrs. Carleton Lacy, iss Lucile Douglass, and Carroll nn (Peking).

With the announcement of the xt meeting of the club, the embers and proposed members ve been supplied with a printed tline for the study of the short ory, prepared by Mr. Dyson. hese features are covered: istory of the short story, de- nitions of the modern short ory, detailed outline for study- plot, character development, tting, climax, etc.) and a list of he ten greatest short stories, ccording to a symposium con- ucted by the New York Times.

"A Lodging for the Night" by obert Louis Stevenson, the best hort story of the age, according o the New York Times canvass, will be the example to be read nd studied at the meeting on September 24. The second avorite in the symposium, "The Outcasts of Poker Flat," by Bret Harte, will be studied at the October meeting. Later in the season stories written by members will be read before the club. Following is the program for the September meeting:

I. Comparative study of anecdote, incident and short story. Reading of examples.

1. Anecdote—definitions and discussion.

a. Example, "The Governor of Tennessee," adapted from the New York Times
Dr. A. H. Swan

b. Example, "The Young Man's Offer" (O. Henry)
Mrs. C. H. Lavers

c. Example, "Audacious and Ingenious Resourcefulness," from the Strand Magazine
R. B. Libby

2. Incident—definitions and discussion.

a. Example, "Fin's Victory" from "The Under Dog" by F. Hopkinson Smith
Miss Ruth Benedict

3. Short Story; brief review of its history, development and literary structure. Example, "A Lodging for the Night" by Robert Louis Stevenson.

a. Short biography of Stevenson
Mrs. R. W. Davis

b. Reading of the story
Miss M. Louise Loehr

c. Analysis of the story.
Mrs. Carleton Lacy

II. Presentation of Mrs. Gordon B. Enders, the guest of honor.

1. Readings from her book, "Swinging Lanterns."

DENY RUMOR ANGLO, AMERICAN FIGHT IN B. A. T.

Chairman Duke's Retirement Not Because Of Company Politics

The British-American Tobacco Company, whose large interests in China make it one of the most powerful foreign concerns here, is not split by a fight between American and British interests according to announcement recently made in London. Rumors of such a split have reached Shanghai. The following letter, which appeared in the London Daily Express on July 27 clarifies the situation and routs the rumor:

"To the editor of The Daily Express:

"Sir: The article in your issue of yesterday on the resignation of Mr. Duke from the chairmanship of this company is likely to cause a good deal of regrettable misunderstanding.

"There has been no Anglo-American fight for the control of the British-American Tobacco Company.

"Mr. Duke—whose retirement from active business and consequent retirement from the board of this company we all deplore—was only one of the many Americans whose work alongside their British colleagues, both here and abroad, has done so much to build up the company and create its success.

"I may mention in support of my statement that there has never been any fight in this company between the American and British interests, either for control or for anything else, that our deputy chairmen at the present time—as well as some of the members of our board—are Americans, and that the relationship between the Englishmen and the Americans is, and always has been, of the most cordial nature.

"I feel sure that you would not like to convey an erroneous impression by your article and therefore ask you to be kind enough to publish this explanatory letter.

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Bloodhounds Trail Innocent Man

La Grange Murder Mystery

ONE of the strangest mysteries of recent years was the murder of Policeman Byron Po- ter, of La Grange, Ill., who was shot to death by a burglar he caught robbing a store. The burglar fled in an automobile belonging to George O. Hinchcliffe, a prosperous and highly respected commercial photographer, bloodhounds, placed on the trail, went four times to Hinchcliffe's home, and the latter was temporarily arrested. It was found, too, that the slayer had broken arches and wore exactly the same kind of shoes as Hinchcliffe. Despite this, Hinchcliffe showed his automobile had been stolen and completely exoncrated himself. He was released with apologies. In the group here shown is Chief of Police Matthews, of La Grange; Sergeant Dan Sullivan, Hinch-

British Colonies Meet To Consider Economic Agenda

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 13.—Mr. Ormsby-Gore, Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, has invited associations representing the main groups of Colonies to meet him in September with regard to the agenda of the Imperial Economic Conference, including the British Malaya and Ceylon Associations, the Joint West African Committee and the Joint East African Board, to discuss their special interests and to ascertain the views of the unofficial communities.

Mr. Ormsby-Gore proposes subsequently to establish an informal advisory committee composed of one unofficial representative of each of the main groups of Colonies and a few senior officials of their administrations who are now in Britain.

RUSSIAN JAILED THREE MONTHS FOR BIKE THEFT

A Russian named Carl Markmann was sentenced to three months' imprisonment at the Mixed Court yesterday for the theft of a bicycle from a Japanese who had left the vahicle outside his residence in Dixwell Road. The owner saw the accused with the machine while he was on the way to the police station to report its loss. At Hongkew station the Russian was allowed to go, the evidence being held to be insufficient, but further police investigation showed the accused to be an undesirable and though he claimed to have bought the bicycle from a stranger, the time of its disappearance tallied with the time given for the alleged sale. It was also discovered that the accused had sold another bicycle, the ownership of which was doubtful, a few days before.

Markmann said he had been only eight days in Shanghai, coming from Harbin, and that he had been trying to get passage on a ship to Germany.

In sentencing the accused to three months' imprisonment and deportation, the Court said that the police would allow him to go should a boat be found to take him during the time of his sentence.

Chihli Partisans Accuse Anfuites; Threaten Arrests

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 13.—It is considered noteworthy that General Li Yuan-hung's reported declaration that he is still President and that he is desirous of forming a coalition Government synchronises with the expiration of the legal tenure of office of the Governing Cabinet. The latter, at today's meeting, discussed the issue of a circular telegram saying that its term must be prolonged till a President is elected.

The Chihli Party accuse the Anfu party as being chiefly responsible for yesterday's election failure and threaten to arrest the leaders.

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JAPAN ISSUES NEW PASSPORT REGULATIONS

Foreigners Barred Unless In Search Of Near Relatives

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 13.—The Japanese Legation announces that, in view of the fact that order in the devastated districts of Japan has not yet been restored and accommodation and supplies are insufficient for fresh arrivals, foreigners intending to go to Japan are requested to postpone their visit unless they have urgent business or have near relatives whom they wish to look after or unless they are journalists. Japanese Consuls have been instructed to regulate and vise passports in accordance with the above notification.

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Hankow Market

The British Chamber of Commerce of Hankow write as follows in their weekly circular dated Hankow, September 5:

Bar Silver remained steady at 30 15-16 ready 30 13-16 forward until September 5th when it rose to 31 3-16, 31 1-16. New York-London Cross Rate remained at 454⅞ until the 1st of September when it dropped to 454½, and on the 5th it dropped further to 452¾. T.T. remained steady at 3-1⅝ with sellers at 1d over at the close. 4 m-s were done as low as 3-2 7-16, but at the close there were no buyers under 3-3½. The market appears to be demoralised principally owing to the Japanese disaster. Market rates. Shanghai taels 97.05. Local currency $70.15. Native interest 11%.

Piece Goods:—Piece Goods: Market continues dull and expected demand has not yet eventuated, probably due to a great extent to the uncertain political situation.

Yarn:—Nothing new to report.

Exports.—Enquiry for produce generally has been a little more prevalent during the past week and quite a volume has poured into the Hankow market for sesamum seed, but in comparison the results have been disappointing. The market has shown considerable improvement at home during the past few days, but with reluctant sellers and a firm market at this end there is still little chance of any large business being done. There is nothing to report as regards wood oil except that the tendency continues towards weakness, although a little business has been done on this commodity a small business in beans has also been done.

Analysis of exports for week ending August 24:

Cow hides to Shanghai 215, China ports 210 and Japan 506 piculs.

Buffalo hides to America 113 and Germany 89 piculs.

China grass to Shanghai 528, China ports 1,607, United Kingdom 841, France 252, Belgium 203 and Japan 1, 248 piculs.

Vegetable tallow to Shanghai 396, China ports 448 and Holland 5 piculs.

Animal tallow to China ports 70 and Holland 3 piculs.

Gall nuts to Shanghai 26, China ports 19, Italy 8 and Japan 53 piculs.

Raw cotton to Shanghai 516, and China ports 413 piculs.

Bristles to Shanghai 155, China ports 75, United Kingdom 200, America 110, France 25, Germany 200 and Japan 12 piculs.

Sesamum seed to Shanghai 292 and China ports 24 piculs.

Beans to Shanghai 14,280, China ports 4,998 and Japan 1,277 piculs.

Peas to Shanghai 705, and China ports 292 piculs.

Sesamum seed oil to China ports 154 piculs.

Wood oil to Shanghai 2,302, China ports 2,949, United Kingdom 169, America 15,876, France 183 and Germany 848 piculs.

Tea oil to Shanghai 92, China ports 27 and Japan 28 piculs.

Hen albumen to Shanghai 189 and America 23 piculs.

Hen yolk to Shanghai 274 piculs.

Antimony crude to Japan 420 piculs.

Antimony regulus to United Kingdom 235, America 840 and Japan 454 piculs.

Tea black to Shanghai 759, China ports 52, United Kingdom 1,099 and America 1,063 piculs.

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Henry Ford Says He Is Not Candidate, But

Henry Ford is "not a candidate for anything."

He "cannot imagine" himself accepting "any nomination today."

But, he adds:

"Of course, I can't say, and no intelligent man can say, what I will do tomorrow. There might be a war, or some crisis of the sort, in which legalism and constitutionalism and all that wouldn't figure, and the Nation wanted some person who could do things and do them quick. What I would do then I can't say."

This is as near as Mr. Ford came to saying whether he is an actual or possible candidate for President in the course of a prolonged interview with Charles W. Wood, in Collier's Weekly.

As to what he would do if he were President Mr. Ford had a great deal to say.

QUITE AWARE OF A BOOM

Of the discussion of his name in connection wih the Presidency Mr. Ford seemed perfectly aware. When Mr. Wood remarked that it looked as though the people of America wanted to make him President, Mr. Ford replied:

"Do they, or do they just think they do?"

This was the starting point of the interview. Its resume as a "platform" embraces these declarations:

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After the "preamble," from which these extracts come, are eight "planks," of which the principal pronouncements are:

"International Relations.—International difficulties result from misunderstanding, and the best way to get along with other people is to get acquainted with them and with ourselves.

"Europe is in a bad way today because Europe doesn't know anything, and therefore isn't working.

"The Tariff.—The tariff is a joke, but is apt to hang on, to the detriment of both America and foreign countries, until the people learn that special privileges do not pay.

"Ship Subsidy.—Giving a bonus for incapacity is a brilliant procedure, provided our object is to waste money and keep the world's work from being done.

"Soldiers' Bonus.—The proposal to give a bonus to veterans of the late war implies that the soldier cannot hold his own in competition with others, and is an insult to the ex-service man.

"Agriculture.—The great trouble with farming is that it involves too much unnecessary work.

"Railroads.—There should be a system in the United States instead of the antiquated network of financial corporations which take toll along the Nation's highways today.

"Prohibition.—Booze had to go out when modern industry and the motor car came in. Upon only one condition can the Nation safely let it come back. That is, if we are willing to abolish modern industry and the motor car.

WHAT IT MEANS POLITICALLY

This, says the interviewer, "allowing for certain licenses of translation, is Henry Ford's platform about as he gave it to me." As to what it means politically, Mr. Wood concluded:

"It is more than a declination to become a candidate. Declinations may be overruled by public clamor, but a straight statement of the truth cannot. So long as politics is what it is, Hery Ford simply cannot hold a political position. He is not a Democrat. He is not a Republican. And he has no notion whatever of creating another political party in order to do things that political paties cannot do.

"Things don't happen by means of political parties, he is sure. At least, not Ford things—not the things that happen where Henry Ford and his ideas are at work. It is the Harding sort of things that come out of political action—the things that a man can be ordained by the proper authorities or elected by the people to do.

"'I know if the people don't,' he said finally, 'that that isn't my kind of job. It is as silly to talk of drafting me as it is to try to make me volunteer.'

"'I've got a job now—my kind of job. Watch the D., T. and I. (his Detroit, Toledo and Ironton Railroad) for the next few years. We are going to make a real railroad out of that, and show the country what kind of transportation system it might have if it would quit thinking in terms of politics and finance and get down to work.'"

SOME OF FORD'S SAYINGS

In the course of the interview itself some of the things Mr. Ford said were these:

"I certainly couldn't run the Government the way I run my business. There's a heap of waste in government. There's a foolish lot of over-head.

"The Government departments and bureaux and divisions and subdivisions also take on a character of permanency that looks funny to a manager of industry."

"Politically we not only keep all the old truck around, but we make it sacred. We speak in awe of our 'form of government' and even pass laws making it a crime to criticise it."

"Efficient service demands that we get rid of things that have outlived their usefulness. If the Government desnn't do this, the Government will go down, that's all."

Mr. Ford talked at length of the Jews.

"'When the Jews take hold of anything it goes down,' was one of his commonest observations Mr. Wood writes.

"'What do you mean by Jews?' I asked.

"'The international financiers,' he said.

"'Then why not say international financiers.'

"Some times after that he did but just as often he didn't. "'The Jews,' he told me, 'are ordained by God to clean up the things that are ready to disappear.' Then, as though he were merely repeating himself: 'These Jew financiers are not building anything. They wait until things begin to decay; then they got into them.'

"Any business which is doing a necessary social service ought to be able as a general thing to finance itself. Unless there is some laziness—unless somebody is lying down on the job—an industry is not apt to get into a fix where it needs help. But the minute it does slow down or tries to expand abnormally, the Jews sense it. They are keen-scented watchdogs in this respect. Any institution which has ceased to progress belongs by rights to them and they prepare to take it over. Pretty soon you will find them injecting their wonderful embalming fluid into it, which they call 'finance.'

"UNIONS SPEED UP LOAFING"

"You probably think the labor unions were organized by labor, but they weren't. The labor union is a great scheme to interrupt work. It speeds up the loafing. It's a great thing for the Jew to have on hand when he comes around to get his clutches on an industry. Look at the coal business if you want to see the way that the labor unions work with the financiers to paralyze an industry.

"I want to tell you that we are not going to have any foolishness to take the place of work on our railroad. I have told the labor unions and the brotherhood that the only thing we will deal with is labor; and the only organization we will recognize is the organization of work."

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spasmodic, the French manufacturers being of the opinion that quotations for Chinese silk are much too high. Stray orders continue to be received. Should both these potential markets come out into the open and make their purchases at the same time in Shanghai and Canton a boom in prices should result.

JAPANESE GOODS

If anything, the disaster in Japan should have the effect of stamping out the anti-Japanese movement in China. Already there are signs of a relaxation of the war of hatred. This must soon be reflected in the sales of Japanese piece goods in this country. Once business in Japan settles down to normal it will not be surprising to find piece goods of Japanese manufacture once again finding an outlet in the markets of China. The blow to the Japanese hongs by the loss of Tokio and Yokohama has been crushing, and until the attitude of the banks towards these institutions is more definitely known business with them will be suspended. The general belief is that the Japanese banks will stand by the side of their firms, and carry them over the stile.

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(Independent News Service)

Hankow, Sept. 9.—Charles M. Hoy, who was operated on some weeks ago for a serious attack of appendicitis, died on September 6 at Kuling. Mr. Hoy was a representative of the Smithsonian Institute, Washington, D. C., and had come to China to collect specimens of animals whose habitat is in the orient.

New Credentials For Tokio Envoy

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 10.—New credentials have been made out for Mr. Wang Junc-pao, Minister to Tokio. These will be signed by the members of the Governing Cabinet in the absence of the President. Mr. Wang is expected to leave for Japan before the end of this week.

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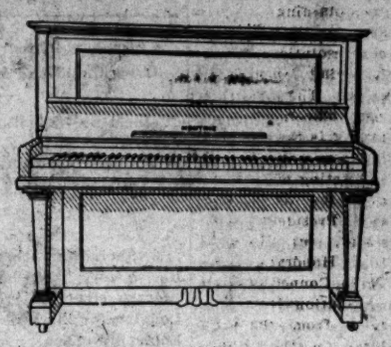

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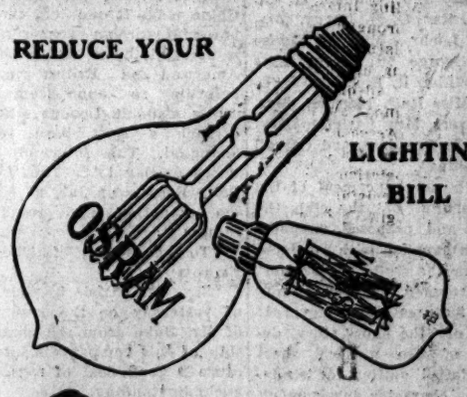

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Football Association To Act On Many Issues At Annual Gathering

Referee Problem And Question Of Private Playing Field To Be Threshed Out; Changes In Regulations To Be Debated; Meeting Next Week

C. W. Hampson, honorary secretary of the Shanghai Football Association, sent out notices yesterday announcing that the annual meeting of the association would be held next Thursday evening at the Cathedral School, at 5 o'clock.

Several important matters are to come before the meeting, including discussions on the referee problem and as to the advisability of obtaining a private playing field for the Association. Numerous resolutions will be presented, involving modification of the rules. The Association will also elect officers for the year. Following is the agenda of the meeting:

Electing officers of the Association for the season 1923-1924: (a) President, (b) Vice-President, (c) Honorary Secretary, (d) Honorary Treasurer, (e) Three Councillors (referred to in Association Rule No. 7, and distinct from the Club representatives on the Council); and (f) Such other officers as the Meeting may decide on.

Discussing (in conjunction with representatives of the companies concerned) the question of those S.W.C. companies that enter teams in the Fraser Shield Competition becoming affiliated to the Association. (See Report of Hon. Secretary).

Discussing the whole question of referees in their relation to the Association and formulating, or taking steps to formulate, for inclusion in the Association's Book of Rules such additional rules and regulations for the appointment and control of referees and the carrying out of their duties, as may be considered necessary; and, further, to deal with such resolution or resolutions on this subject as may be brought before the Meeting.

Discussing, and, if thought fit, acting upon, such proposals regarding Interport football as may be brought before the Meeting.

Discussing, and, if thought fit, acting upon, the questions of (a) the adequacy of the playing grounds at present available to the Association; and (b) the provision of a private ground for the Association.

Receiving, considering, and, if thought fit, passing, the following resolutions to alter the "Rules and Regulations Governing the Shanghai Football Association and its Subsidiary Organisations."

Resolution (a) Proposed by Mr. E. G. Barnes; Seconded by Mr. N. J. Hughes: "That the Council's Standing Orders be delected en bloc."

Resolution (b) Proposed by Mr. E. G. Barnes; Seconded by Mr. N. J. Hughes: That the following Rules be inserted, as numbered, as Rules of the Association: Rule No. 9 (a) Meetings of the full Council may be called from time to time as business requires, but in no case shall there be more than two

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BARNEY GOOGLE By Billy De Beck

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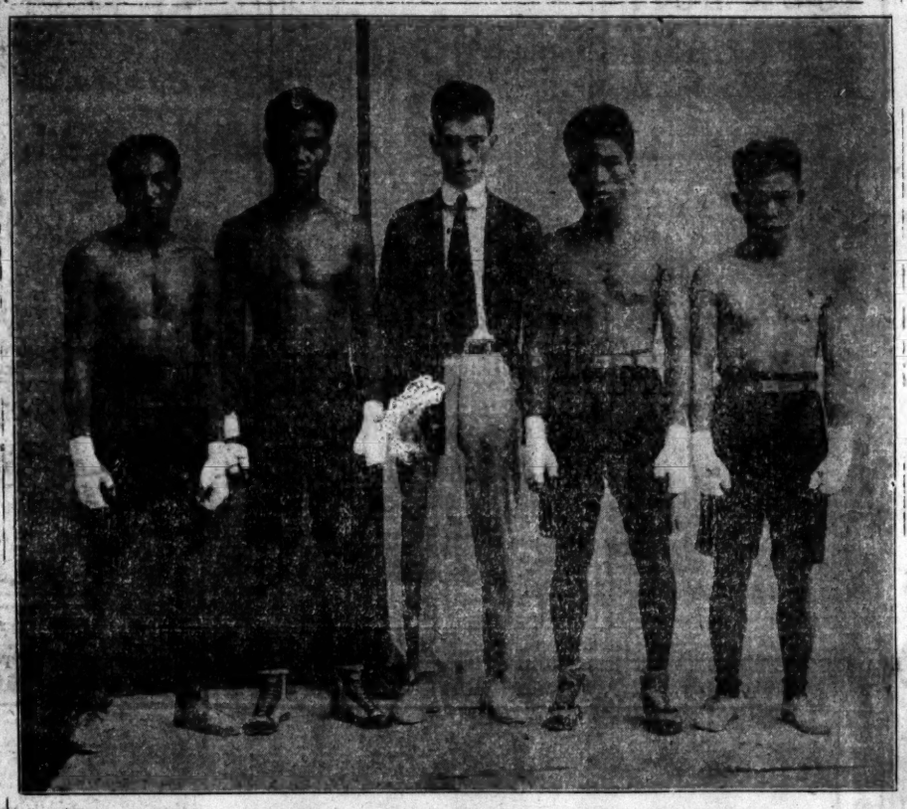

Kid Carletos, the Filipino scrapper who is to meet Faustino De Dios at the Stadium tonight, is here shown with his manager, Johnny Lopez, and three of his sparring partners. Carletos stands at his manager's left. In addition to the Carletos-De Dios bout there will be four other good scraps on the program.

LAWN BOWLERS TO BE IN ACTION OVER WEEK END

S. L. B. C. Teams To Play Marine Engineers And Yangtszepoo

The Marine Engineers v. Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club lawn bowls match will be played tomorrow at Wayside Park, commencing at 3.15 p.m.

The Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club will be represented by:—

G. L. Campbell (Skip), H. Gordon Wright, D. Macdonald, and F. Large.

A. W. McCallum (Skip), H. H. Fowler, E. Payne, and A. Habecost.

G. Dunlop (Skip), W. A. Turnbull, C. G. Oakes, and A. Jessiman.

J. M. Robertson (Skip), J. Munro, J. W. Burtwell, and F. L. Marshall.

F. C. Banham (Skip), H. G. Manwaring, A. McLure, and W. L. Gerrard.

Reserves:—T. M. Scott, T. E. Trueman, C. P. Dawson, S. J. Hicks.

The Yangtszepoo Lawn Bowls Club v. Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club match will be played on the ground of the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club on Sunday, commencing at 3.15 p.m. sharp. The following will represent the S. L. B. C.

G. L. Campbell (skip), F. Large, D. MacDonald, and D. Carter.

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Shanghai Relief Ship First Reaching Japan

According to word received here the steamer Haimming has arrived over for use by the China Merchants' company, was among the first relief ships to reach Yokohama. The Haimming carried a large cargo of foodstuffs and supplies, collected mainly through the American Red Cross and Chinese organizations here, and took as well units of foreign and Chinese doctors and nurses.

Further supplies are being sent to Japan by various ships leaving port as rapidly as may be.

COOLIES REFUSE PAY

The loading of the Haimming was accomplished here on record time and when the cargo was all aboard, it is stated, the loading coolies refused to take payment for their work, saying that they would contribute in that manner to the relief of the sufferers from the disaster.

Following are lists of contributions acknowledged yesterday by various relief organisations here.

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No. 262 Resignation. S/Cs 10 Jackson & 154 Fernandes are permitted to resign at their own request.

No. 263 Unattached List S/C 121 Jameson is transferred to the Unattached List.

No. 264 Leave. A/H/C Scarborough is granted leave from 10-9-23 to 24-9-23.

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(signed W. Beatty.)
A. C. P. (i/c Reserve).

Marine Changes

The following changes in the merchant marine service took place during the week:

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company—Supernumerary third engineer of the Esang, Mr. A McAlpine, to acting second engineer of the Kutwo; second engineer of the Kutwo, Mr. J. J. Robertson, granted leave to pass; second officer of the Fuhwo, Mr. F. L. Loloi, transferred to the Loongwo; second officer of the Loongwo, Mr. F. S. Hollingshead, resigned; from reserve, Mr. G. B. Slipper, to second officer of the Fuhwo; second officer of the Fuhwo, Mr. R. Hughes, to master; from sick leave, Mr. O. V. W. R. Basham, to master of the Tungshing; master of the Tungshing, Mr. R. W. Bateman, on leave.

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St. Louis	60	56	517
Washington	57	64	471
Chicago	54	36	462
Philadelphia	51	68	429
Boston	46	70	397

Cricket

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 12.—In the match between the M. C. C. and Yorkshire at the Scarborough Cricket Festival the M. C. C. made 348 for 9 wickets and declared. Astill made 102 and A. E. Gilligan 100.

Yorkshire made 181 (Sutcliffe 61), Fender taking 6 wickets for 40. Yorkshire followed with 322 for 5 wickets, declared, (Holmes 60, Sutcliffe 62, and Rhodes 84 not out). The match was then abandoned owing to rain.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 12.—In the match at Blackpool between an England XI and Lancashire, England won by 199 runs.

The England XI made 265 (Sandham 63) and 259 (Bowley 62 and Mead 55). Lancashire made 252 (Hallows 63 and Pewtress 60) and 83, the Australian, MacDonald taking 7 wickets for 46.

IMPORTS INCREASE

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 13.—The Board of Trade returns for August show that imports totalled £88,743,000, an increase of £11,924,000 as compared with July, and British exports £60,103,000, an increase of £599,000.

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Football Association To Act On Many Issues

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such meetings in any one month. At all meetings of the Council, five members shall form a quorum.

Rule No. 10 (a)—The President, Vice-Presidents and Honorary Secretary of the Council (i.e. of the Association) shall, ex-officio, be members of all standing committees of the Council.

Rule No. 10 (b)—Each committee appointed by the Council shall appoint its own Chairman. Two members of any committee shall form a quorum.

Rule No. 10 (c)—The following shall be standing Committees and shall be elected at the first full meeting of the Council in each season: (i) The League Management Committee. (ii) The Appeals and Penalties Committee.

Resolution (c):—Proposed by Mr. J. A. Quayle; Seconded by Mr. T. W. R. Wilson:—(i) That the words "the 25th day of September" be substituted for the words "the first day of October" in Association Rule No. 4. (pp. 1 and 2). (ii) That the words "on the third Thursday" be substituted for the words "in the third week" in Association Rule No. 4. (p. 2). (iii) That the words "the 25th day of September" be substituted for the words "the 5th day of October" in League Rule No. 3. (p. 6).

Resolution (d):—Proposed by Mr. E. G. Barnes; Seconded by Mr J. A. Quayle:—That the following be substituted for paragraph 3 of the Rules Governing the Skottowe Challenge Cup Competition:—The Cup shall be competed for annually and the competition shall be open to all Clubs belonging to this Association and approved by the Association.

Resolution (e):—Proposed by Mr. N. J. Hughes; Seconded by Mr. T. W. R. Wilson:—That the following additional Rule be inserted as Rule No. 3 (a) of the Rules Governing the Skottowe Cup Competition:—A Club shall not be restricted as to the number of teams it may enter in the competition.

Resolution (f):—Proposed by Mr. T. W. R. Wilson; Seconded by Mr. J. A. Quayle:—"That the words" "in respect of each team entered" shall be added after the symbol "$10" in Rule 4 of the Rules Governing the Skottowe Cup Competition.

Resolution (g):—Proposed by Mr. J. A. Quayle; Seconded by Mr. E. G. Barnes, that the following Rule be substituted for Rule No. 5 of the Regulations Governing the Skottowe Challenge Cup Competition:—Rule No. 5. A player shall not be allowed to play for more than one competing team, but the players of each representative team may be changed during the series of matches.

Dealing with such other business as may be brought before the Meeting.

Note:—Only the following are eligible to vote on any resolution affecting the administration or conduct of the Association's affairs or the Rules of the Association:—(a) Officers of the Association. (b) Two representatives of each Club having membership with the Association. (Club representative must sign the special roll provided). (c) Association referees on matters affecting referees.

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(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 12.—The following is the result of the St. Leger Stakes £5850 (about 1 M. 6F. 132 yds), run at Doncaster today:

Tranquil (T. Weston) .. 1
Papyrus (Donoghue) ... 2
Teresina (Hulme) 3

Also ran: Doric (Childs), Eastern Monarch (C. Elliott), Ellangowan (Victor Smyth), Parth (O'Neill), Soldumeno (Wing), Twelvepointer (Carslake), Waygood (Jelliss), Scapino (Frank Bullock), Old Nic (Lane), Colossus (McLachlan). (Not in order).

Tranquil won by two lengths, and one-and-a-half lengths separated second and third.

Time.—3 minutes 5 seconds.

The weather was glorious, after a slight rain in the morning. There was a record crowd, including Princess Mary and Viscount Lascelles, who received an ovation.

The start was good. Tranquil showed the way to Ellangowan, Eastern Monarch, Soldumeno, Old Nic and Twelvepointer with Parth last for three furlongs. Half way Ellangowan forced the pace, pursued by Tranquil, Twelvepointer, Tersina and Papyrus.

Entering the straight, Ellangowan led from Parth, Tranquil, Teresina and Papyrus, but three furlongs from home Ellangowan was beaten, and Tranquil, outstaying Papyrus, won easily. Parth was fourth and Doric last.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 13.—It is announced that Papyrus cut his hind legs in some crowding during yesterday's race and came from the race bleeding freely from two wounds. His trainer does not think that the tendon is cut.

Two Cricket XI's To Meet Tomorrow

Weather permitting there will be two cricket games tomorrow, one between the Machine Gunners S.V.C., and the Shanghai Recreation Club eleven, and the other between the S.C.C. "A" team and another Recreation Club team. The first named game will be played on the grounds of the Recs' ground; the other on the grounds of the S.C.C. The Machine Gunners will line up as follows:

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(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 13.—Speaking before the Geographical Section of the British Association, Professor Vaughan Cornish said that enough was known regarding the relations between geographical environment and national well being to declare that the system of erecting a barrier against colored labor in tropical Australia was best both for the white race and for colored people of the monsoon region of Asia. The consolidation of the position which the British nation had won turned upon future colonization within the Empire. It was desirable in the interests both of ourselves and of the colored races to maintain the present proportion of British stock, to whom the Empire owed the just administration of law and progressive physical science.

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MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION
No. 3188.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the close season for pheasants, deer, hare and partridges will expire on September 30.

The sale of hen pheasants and of pheasants denuded of their feathers, is absolutely prohibited.

By order,
E. B. B. ROWE,
Acting Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, September 13, 1923.
61951 S 16

In the International Mixed Court of Shanghai

Chinese Civil Case No. 514-A.

Re: ZUNG SHING & CO.
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(In Liquidation)

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of creditors of the above-named estate will be held at the offices of Seth, Mancell and McLure, 7 Avenue Edouard VII, on Monday, 17th September, 1923, at 2.30 p.m.

SETH, MANCELL & McLURE,
Official Court Accountants.
7 Avenue Edouard VII.
Shanghai, 14th September, 1923.
61950

In the International Mixed Court of Shanghai

Chinese Civil Case No. 1090 A.

Re: Ka Zuh Foo (賈祖夫) of Ziang Fong Bank (祥豐莊)

(Petition in Bankruptcy)

A petition in bankruptcy, has been filed in the above matter, and, by an order of this Honourable Court, dated 11th September 1923, the undersigned are appointed Interim Receivers.

Take notice that the Court will grant the petition unless objection thereto is lodged within two weeks.

Creditors are required to send to the undersigned their names and addresses, and particulars of their debts or claims on or before 14th October 1923, after which date no further claims will be recognised.

All debts due to the estate should be paid to us forthwith, and debtors are warned not to pay their debts to any person or persons other than ourselves.

SETH, MANCELL & McLURE.
Official Court Accountants.
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By Order,
R. Haves,
Secretary.
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By Order
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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

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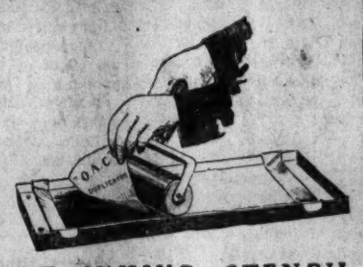

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8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

By order,
P. LEGENDRE
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T. F. 176

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Singapore	Shanghai	Noumea
Papeete	Djibouti	Yunnanfu
Pnom-Penh	Battambang	

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais.

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$19,769,100.00
Reserve Fund	$ 6,068,845.41

Head Office: Peking.

Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dairy	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking
etc.,	etc.,	etc.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
12 The Bund
Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(Netherlands Trading Society)
Established 1824

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,769,181 about £1,647,432)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongen
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerakarta
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Welteyreden
Padang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

新康實業銀行 The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

Established 1908
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)

Capital	$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$300,000.00
Undivided Profits	$120,000.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road, Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul Fusan and Hongkong.
Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department

LI MING,
General Manager

Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office,
C. 7121 to 7124, General Office.
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK," Shanghai.

The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 10 Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital	$10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital	$5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K.	$500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars.	4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire	16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver	$1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire	4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver	$150,000

Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin.
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise et Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompts de Paris Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belge.
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de le Baie. Len and Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 3004.

C. MARMONT,
CHIN YU SHU,
General Managers

Indians Pray To Stones For Luck

On many of the stones found in the old Pueblo houses in New Mexico, there are to be seen rude picture animals.

These are considered sacred by the Pueblos and are jealously guarded by the priests of the Prey Brotherhood and Order of the Hunt of that tribe.

There is an old legend that when the world was new, the sun dried up the waters of the earth. But the Sun Children who were left soon discovered that they were in great danger from the animals that roamed the earth.

Therefore, because they were holy children and had supernatural powers, they boldly approached the wild animals and mysteriously struck them to stone. And the stones which were valued as fetishes today are believed by the Pueblo Indians to be those animals which were petrified centuries ago by the sacred Sun Children.

These stones are precious to the Pueblo Indians because they are employed when they go hunting. And to them hunting is not merely a sport, it is a part of their religion. For when one of the braves starts out on a hunting trip he prefaces it with a visit to one of the dignified priests.

When the two meet—which is a most serious ceremony—the hunter asks for one of the talismen. It is received with much ceremony and pride. The hunter carefully wraps the stone in a pouch made for the purpose and thrusts it into his shirt next to his heart.

This assures him luck in the chase, and he believes that if his success is great it is entirely due to the cold stone he carries.

When the Pueblo sees a coyote or puma, he takes out the talisman, places it against his nostrils and from it breathes into his body. Then he utters a fervent prayer before he raises his rifle, invoking the gods to make his aim sure.

The Pueblo Indian with his rifle today believes that his prayers will be as perfectly answered through the stone as were the prayers of his ancestors who hunted with bows and arrows in the long ago.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1918)

Subscribed Capital	$5,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$2,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$250,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
27 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers ... C. 1929 Manager's Office. C. 6482) C. 6469) General Office. C. 6479) C. 5629 T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN	Changsha	Hauchow	Shasi
SHANGHAI	Chengteh	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Changchow	Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
Antung	Fengtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
Canton	Hangchow	Penkpu	Yangchow
Changchun	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

FOREIGN AGENCIES AND CORRESPONDENTS

Baltimore	Cincinnati	Montreal	San Francisco
Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
Boston	Detroit	Osaka	St. Louis
Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Account and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. Han, Manager.
T. D. Sze, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road, Shanghai.

Capital paid up $2,500,000.00
Reserve ... ... $ 470,000.00

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits. Credits granted on approved securities.

H. P. CHEN
General Manager

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up	$2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund	$330,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin.
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, and Osaka. Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT

If you have business in the Far East—

The kind of a bank you need to help you is one whose business is exclusively of the Far East—

A BANK whose name and reputation will win the respect and confidence of your customers—a bank that is versed in the methods of the East: that knows its customs and markets—a bank that is your experienced business counselor as well as your financial agent.

Such a Bank is the
EQUITABLE EASTERN BANKING CORPORATION

ORGANISED and managed by the officers and directors of The Equitable Trust Company of New York, it will give you the same prestige abroad and the same personal service that distinguishes the parent organization—with the added convenience of a separate bank devoted exclusively to Oriental business.

Call at our New York or Shanghai Offices, and let us tell you how we can help you.

EQUITABLE EASTERN BANKING CORPORATION
37 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
SHANGHAI OFFICE: 6 KIUKIANG ROAD
Capital Surplus and Undivided Profits U.S. $2,850,000
CENTRAL 7944. A. E. SCHUMACHER, Manager

Meteorological Reports

September 14, 1923.
Sun rises today at 5.41
Sun sets today at 18.15

SICCAWEI

(Inches)	Sept. 7.		Sept. 8.	
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	29.85	29.87	29.88	29.91
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hrs.	+0.03	—0.03	—0.09	+0.06
Wind—direction	+0.02	+0.02	+0.07	+0.04
Wind—miles per hour	N	N	N	N
Temperature (Fahr.)	12.4	12.4	11.8	17.4
Humidity %	82°2	73°0	70°2	73°9
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	55	90	78	60
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	2	9	0	5
	0.16	—	0.00	—

SICCAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT
September 7.

	Mean 1922	24 hrs. Variation	Previous average same period
Total rainfall, since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)	39.83	0.00	39.95
Temperature (Min. 68°4) (Fahr.) (Max. 84°2)	78°2	—1°0	76°0
Rainfall (inches)	35.30	0.16	35.95

Oriental Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Authorised Capital ... $5,000,000
Paid up Capital ... $1,250,000
Head Office: Hongkong.
Branches: Canton, Bangkok.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Credits granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
Special Savings Department for ladies in charge of Chinese ladies well educated and experienced in modern banking.
Bankers:
New York National City Bank,
Westminster Foreign Bank (London),
Union Trust Co., of S. Francisco
The Canton Bank of S. Francisco

L. C. WAI,
Manager.
36 Kiangse Road.

GREAT BRITAIN COMMERCE WITH GERMANY GROWS

First Six Months Of 1923 Shows Remarkable Improvement Over 1922

London.—Despite the Ruhr occupation, chaotic exchanges and other difficulties, Germany's trade with Great Britain for the first six months of 1923 shows remarkable improvement over 1922 figures, according to statistics published in the British Board of Trade Journal.

Thus while in 1922 the total of British imports from Germany amounted to £26,500,000, for the first half of 1923 they are already nearly £17,000,000.

Similarly United Kingdom exports to Germany were £32,000,000 and nearly £21,000,000 respectively, and colonial goods passing through Britain en route Germany in 1922, were nearly £17,000,000, in the six months of 1923 nearly £10,500,000.

In every case, therefore, figures for the first six months of 1923 are well over 50 percent of the total for the whole of the previous year.

Taking individual items: The value of British coal sent to Germany this year was 10,400,000, already 2,000,000 higher than for the whole of 1922. Similarly British iron and steel plates bought by Germany stand at 273,000, compared with 216,000. Curiously enough, however, this year's German exports of iron to Great Britain at 2900,000 only show a depreciation of 7 percent in the 1922 six months average. Woolen and worsted goods imported this year from Germany at £267,000 already passed the total for 1922, while Germany, to balance this, has imported an extra large quantity of raw wool from Great Britain during the last six months.

That Germany's paper mark industry is in no immediate danger of failing from a lack of supply of raw material is evident from the fact that Britain has already imported more than £1,000,000 worth of paper and cardboard from Germany this year, compared with £1,150,000 during the whole of last year.

Although, taken altogether, the 1923 figures are an improvement on last year's, they make a poor showing when compared with 1914. In that year, up to the outbreak of the war, Great Britain sent £36,500,000 worth of goods to Germany and Germany £47,000,000 to Great Britain, and this though the average price level was then between 70 and 80 percent lower than it is today.

THIRD MAN TAKEN INTO CUSTODY IN SHOOTING CASE

A third Chinese was charged at the Mixed Court yesterday in connection with the sensational armed robbery which occurred on Avenue Edward VII Tuesday night, when Sub-Inspector Hermitage killed two robbers and wounded a third, being slightly wounded himself.

Evidence of having found the man hiding in the garden of Mr. H. E. Gibson was given by Sergeant Robinson. It is believed that the accused came there to recover a pistol hidden in the garden. The place is only a hundred yards distant from the scene of the shooting.

The case was remanded two weeks to allow further inquiry.

NEW LOW MARKS

(Reuter's Service)

London, Sept. 13.—Marks were quoted today at 20,000,000 and closed at 450,000,000 to the £.

Financial And Commercial News

AMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST
esterday's Closed

Stock	Closing Quotations
anks	
and E. B...	T. $1,130
ered	$130½
Asiatic ...	Nom
e Insurance	
China	H.$630 B.
of Canton	Tls. 138
ese	H.$233½ B.
Eastern Ins.	H.$27
Insurance	Tls. 19
Fire	H.$120 B.
kong Fire .	H.$477½
hipping	
China Def.	H.$130
China Pref.	H.$36½ B.
l"	75/-
Tug ord.	Tls. 79 B.
Tug Pref.	Tls. 53 B.
Mining	
ng	Tls. 21 B.
ntal Cone...	13/-
.....	$5
Docks	
kong Dock	H.$152 B.
ghai Dock..	Tls. 90
Eng. Works	Tls. 7.10 B.
Pref. ..	Tls. 5¾ B.
Wharves	
ghai Wharf	Tls. 192½ B.
kong Wharf	H.$158 B.
s and Hotels	
l Hotel, Ltd.	$45 B.
Realty ord.	Tls. 50
n Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
rench Land.	Tls. 181½ B.
ghai Land..	Tls. 121 B.
ton Ltd.	Tls. 53 S.
otton Mills	
o (ord.)	Tls. 12½ B.
o (pref.)	Tls. 110 B.
u-kung-mow .	Tls. 19
ntal	Tls. 5
ghai Cotton.	Tls. 79
ndustrials	
er Tiles	Tls. 25
a Sugar ...	$210
n Island ...	$28.10 B.
gkats	Tls. 33½ B.
or Bros.	Tls. 5
l Sumatra ..	Tls. 90 B.
Stores	
l and Holts .	$6¾ B.
welyn	$42½
e Crawford .	$102 B.
artrje	$55 B.
tson	H.$22 B.
eks	$13
bbers (local)	
na	Tls. 7.45 B.
herst	Tls. 0.60
lo-Java	Tls. 7.10 B.
lo-Dutch ...	Tls. 3.32½ B.
er Tawah ..	Tls. 24 B.
u Anam 1918	Tls. 1.15 B.
te	Tls. 0.90 B.
kit Toh Alang	Tls. 1.37½ B.
emor United .	Tls. 1¼ B.
empedak	Tls. 7.10 B.
eng	Tls. 1.90 B.
nsolidated ...	Tls. 2.95 B.
minion	Tls. 2.95 B.
ia Kalumpong	Tls. 11¼ B.
va Consolidated	Tls. 14¼ B.
paying	Tls. 12½ B.
ran	Tls. 7.15 B.
dah	Tls. 1.37½ B.
oth Bahroe ...	Tls. 1.35 B.
roewoek Java .	Tls. 17 B.
dang	Tls. 6.65 B.
ngkalan Durian	Tls. 1.42½ B.
rmata	Tls. 3.55 B.
epah	Tls. 1.05 B.
magagas	Tls. 0.95 B.
ekees	Tls. 1.27½ B.
mambu	Tls. 1.47½ B.
ruwang	Tls. 1.27½ B.
hai Kiebang ..	Tls. 0.75 B.
hanghai Malay.	Tls. 5¾ B.
hai Malay pref.	Tls. 9½ B.
hanghai Pahang	Tls. 1.10 B.
ungala	Tls. 1.70 B.
ungei Duri	Tls. 10¼ B.
da Manggis ...	Tls. 3¾ B.
hai Seremban .	Tls. 0.77½ B.
aiping	Tls. 0.77½ B.
anah Merah ...	Tls. 0.87½ B
ebong	Tls. 1.62½ B.
iangbee	Tls. 3¾ B.
Miscellaneous	
.I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
uity Dairy	Tls. 14
hanghai Trams.	Tls. 161 B.
hanghai Gas ..	Tls. 40
Horse Bazaar ..	Tls. 50
hai Mercury ..	Tls. 20 B.
hai Telephone .	Tls. 74
hai Waterworks	Tls. 171

S. Sellers, Ss. Sales, B. Buyers

Textile Workers In Moscow Strike

(Reuter's Service)

Riga, Sept. 12.—A big strike was declared today in the Government textile works at Moscow.

Anti-Soviet outbreaks are reported from Tsaritzin, Tula and other parts of Russia.

Rheumatism

Have you ever tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism? If not, you are wasting time, as the longer this disease runs on the harder it is to cure. Get a bottle today, apply it with a vigorous massage to the afflicted parts and you will be surprised and delighted at the relief obtained. For sale everywhere.

Money Exchange

Shanghai, September 13, 1923

Mex. Dollars market rate	72.35
Native Interest	10
Copper Cash	250.500
Shanghai Gold Bar	331
Bar Silver	31½
Bank rate of Discount	4%
Paris on London	78.50
New York on London	454¾
London—	
Telegraphic Transfer	3s. 1d.
Demand	3s. 1⅛d.
New York—	
Telegraphic Tranafer	70
Demand	70¼

OPENING RATES
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Open quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.)	3s. 1d.
London Demand	3s. 1⅛d.
London 4 m-s.	3s. 1⅛d.
India (T.T.)	228½
France (T.T.)	1215
America (T.T.)	70
Hongkong (T.T.)	74½
Japan (T.T.)	69¼
Batavia (T.T.)	184½
Straits (T.T.)	76¼

BANKS' BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s. Credits.	3s. 2⅛d.
London 4 m-s. Docts.	3s. 2⅝d.
London 6 m-s. Credits.	3s. 3d
London 6 m-s. Docts	—
France 4 m-s.	1275
America 4 m-s. L/c.	72¾
Docs.	73¼

Gold Dollars' Bank Buying Rates
@ 71⅞ = Tls. 139.13
@ exch. 72.6 = Mex. $191.64

Sovereign Bank Buying Rate
@ 3s. 2¼d. = Tls. 6.27
@ exch. 72.6 = Mex. $8.64

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR SEPTEMBER

Hk. Tls. 5.90	@ 3/0⅛	£1
Hk. Tls. 1.29	@ 69¾	Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1233	Fr. 13.74
Hk. Tls.1	@ —	Marks —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 71⅞	Yen 1.57
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 227⅝	Rupees 2.58
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.00
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 15.87½	Ital. Lire 17.65

International Banking Corporation
CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America	70⅞
Demand buying on America	71⅞
Demand selling on London	3/1⅜
Demand buying on London	3/2¼

ROUBLE EXCHANGE
BANK'S BUYING RATE
Roubles 500,000 ... Tls. 100
Roubles 100 ..... Mex. $0.03

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
Bank's Selling Rates
It. Lire 16.80 = 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.90 = 1 Tael
Marks 10,000,000 = 1 Tael

Equivalent Foreign Quotations
It. Lire 103.50 = 1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 22.75 = 1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 131.50 = 100 Fr. Francs

CHINESE GOV. BONDS
(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

	Wednesday.	Yesterday's.
3rd Year 6%	93.50	93.50
5th Year 6%	57.00	57.00
7th Year 6%	46.10	46.00
9th Year 6%	67.80	67.60
6% Consolidated	50.30	50.20
7% Consolidated	55.00	55.00
11th Year 8%	99.00	99.00
96 Millions 8%	21.35	21.10

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association
Business Done

Shanghai, September 13, 1923
OFFICIAL
September 12
Langkats Comb. Tls. 33.75 Sept.
September 13
Chemors Tls. 1.25
S'hai Lands Tls. 122.00
Ewos (Ord.) Tls. 13.00 Sept.
Anglo Javas Tls. 7.25 Oct.
UNOFFICIAL
September 12
Langkats Comb. Tls. 33.75 Sept.
September 13
Langkats Comb. Tls. 33.50 (5 shares)
Anglo Javas Tls. 7.20 Sept.
Chemors Tls. 1.25 Sept.
Bukits Tls. 1.27½
Langkats Comb. Tls. 34.00 Sept.
Anglo Dutchs Tls. 3.35 Sept.
Consolidated Tls. 3.00 Sept.
S'hai Malay (Ord.) Tls. 5.25
Padangs Tls. 6.75
Samagagas Tls. 0.95

Exchange Fluctuations
Asia Banking Corporation

September 13, 1923

Spot bar silver was down ⅛d. and forward ⅛d. in London yesterday. The New York price declined to 63¾ cents and the London-New York cross rate to 454½.

The only changes in our official quotations here today were a drop in the Gold Dollar rate to 70 and in the Yen rate to 69¼.

Our market here today was steady in the early part of the morning and became firm in the afternoon.

In the morning business in Sterling was done at 3s. 1½d. September, 3s. 1⅝d. October and 3s. 1¼d. November-December.

Gold Dollars were done at 70⅝ for near delivery and 70¾ for forward and Yen at 68¼ for near and forward deliveries.

In the afternoon, however, there were sellers of Sterling at 3s. 1⅝d. September, 3s. 1⅝d. October and 3s. 1⅛d. November-December.

There were sellers of Gold Dollars at 71⅛ for near and forward deliveries and sellers of Yen at 67⅞.

Banks were quoting 3s. 2⅛d., 72½ and 1260 for Sterling, Gold Dollar and Franc bills respectively.

China sold silver in London yesterday and India bought, the market closing steady.

New York report their market as dull and quiet.

Rubber Prices

Messrs. J. A. Wattie and Company have received the following telegram from their Singapore Agents in connection with the weekly auctions held there on September 12:

Average price realised.

No. 1 Smoked Sheet $0.52 per pound equivalent to 1s. 2⅞d. ex warehouse Singapore.

No. 1 Crepe $0.51½ per pound equivalent 1s. 2¾d. ex warehouse Singapore.

Market steadier. Offered 391 tons, sold 270 tons.

London quotation September 11: Both grades 1s. 3⅝d. Market dull.

Tramways Returns

The following is the traffic return of the Shanghai Tramways, foreign settlement, for the week ended September 12, 1923, with figures for the corresponding week last year:

	1923 Mex. $	1922 Mex. $
Gross Receipts	81,760.46	72,229.50
Loss by currency depreciation	35,026.39	30,187.67
Effective Receipts	46,134.07	42,041.83
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	44.64	43.70
Car Miles run	116,730	115,722
Passengers carried	2,808,309	2,548,171

Don't blame it on the climate in China if you do not feel as well as you wish to. If you feel physically or mentally tired, it proves that your diet is not properly balanced. Try a cup of OVOMALTINE with or between your meals, get a tin TO-DAY from your chemist or storekeeper.

OVOMALTINE
is a pure food, contains no drugs
Obtainable from all dispensaries and provision stores.

Carpets and Rugs

We manufacture and sell the World-Known Hand-made Carpets and Rugs made of the best pure wool with dyes of unfading color, under the supervision of our specialists.
All designs and colours kept in stock.
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Ewo Mills (Ord.) Tls. 12.75 Sept.
Oriental Cotton Tls. 5.00 Sept.
S'hai Explorations Tls. 13.25 Dec.
Tls. 13.00 Sept.
Kaipings "B" Tls. 21.25
Shanghai Loans Tls. 7.60 Sept.
Langkats Comb. Tls. 34.00 Sept.
Tls. 35.25 Dec.
Tls. 35.50 Dec.
Tls. 34.25 Sept.
Langkats (Single) Tls. 14.50 Dec.
Tls. 14.25 Sept.
Kota Bahroes Tls. 1.35
Batu Anams Tls. 1.15
Butes Tls. 0.90
Chengs Tls. 1.90
Shanghai Pahangs Tls. 1.10
Anglo Dutch Tls. 3.32½
Repah Tls. 1.07½
Anglo Javas Tls. 7.50 Dec.
Tls. 7.20 Sept.
Shanghai Pahangs Tls. 1,15 Dec.
Tebongs Tls. 1.65
Shanghai Cotton Tls. 33.50
Langkats (Comb.) Tls. 34.25
UNOFFICIAL
Langkats Comb. Tls. 33.75 Sept.
Tls. 33.75 Cash
S'hai Explorations Tls. 13.25 Dec.
S. M. C. 7% Debs. 1922 Tls. 106.00
Kedah Tls. 1.37½
Anglo Javas Tls. 7.50 Dec.
Repah Tls. 1.07½
Tanah Merah Tls. 0.90
Langkats (Single) Tls. 14.25 Sept.
Langkats Comb. Tls. 34.00 Sept.
Tls. 35.25 Dec.
Dominions Tls. 2.65
Anglo Javas Tls. 7.15
Hall & Holtz $7.00
Shanghai Tugs (Pref.) Tls. 53.50
Tebongs Tls. 1.70 Dec.
Chemors Tls. 1.25
S. M. C. 8% Stg. Loans 1920 £105½

Exchange Market

In their weekly report on the exchange market, Messrs. Maitland, Fearon and Brand write as follows:

Exchange:—Today's London quotations for silver, 31 5-8d. spot and 31 3-8d. forward show an advance of 7-16d. and 5-16d. respectively since this day last week. China is reported to be selling and India buying. The official T/T rate on London after touching 3/1¼ closes at 3/1. During the earlier part of the week the market was very active, and export paper was largely in evidence, being chiefly against silk for New York. Since then the market has quietened down and speculators have covered a small proportion of their oversold position.

Rates are just about steady at the close and T/T on London is offering at 3/1 5-16 near, 3/1⅛ December. New York 70¾ near and 70⅝ forward.

Our stocks of silver are reported as follows:—

Sycee and Bar Silver .... Tls. 25,760,000 a decrease of Tls. 1,441,000.

Chinese and Mexican Dollars .. $37,570,000 a decrease of $1,430,000.

Estimated value Tls. 52,810,000 as against Tls. 66,953,000 held at this time last year.

Gibbs Brothers Operate Liner Leviathan

WILLIAM F. Gibbs, of the firm of Gibbs Brothers, will direct the operations of the liner Leviathan. Mr. Gibbs was in charge of reconditioning the immense liner.

Peking Hard Put To Raise Millions

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Sept. 10.—As the Mid-Autumn festival approaches, the Government is making desperate efforts to raise seven million dollars by September 25. If the three million dollars required for election purposes are considered the Government will have to raise ten million dollars in order to tide over that settling period.

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Municipal Staff Changes

The following changes in the Municipal staff are reported in the Municipal Gazette:

Police Force.—Assistant Warder W. Read is promoted to be Warder with effect from September 1.

The following Japanese probationary Constables are confirmed as 7th Class Constables from August 7:

No. 12 Heitaro Uchida.
No. 28 Tarataro Fukui.
No. 29 Kanzaemon Jito.
No. 30 Shiyoichi Hirao.
No. 31 Sigeo Sugiyama.
No. 33 Tomaji Yamasaki.
No. 35 Yonosuke Shimizu.

Miresburo Kabayashi is appointed Japanese Constable on probation from August 28.

Electricity Department.—Mr. A. H. Meggitt, Charge Engineer, is invalided with effect from October 5, 1923.

Educational Department.—Mr. P. W. Bennett is re-engaged as Assistant Master in the Public School for Boys under agreement from August 25.

The Council has learnt with deep regret of the death, on September 1, of Mr. H. L. Fardel, Assistant Master in the Public School for Boys.

The temporary service of Mrs. M. L. Passikides, Assistant Mistress in the Public School for Girls, will terminate on September 30.

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(Reuter's Service)

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WEATHER

The center of the typhoon will approach the Pescadores S-W-wards. Rough weather in the Formosa Strait and probably as far as the coast of Kwangtung. Another center is developing between Formosa and Luzon. The typhoon advancing towards the Loochoos cannot be followed for want of telegrams. Weather damp and showery.

The American Court In Harbin

From The Russian Daily News

Harbin, Sept. 11

RATHER more than two weeks after its opening, the United States court for China held its closing session on Wednesday to the present term at Harbin and disposed of the remaining business before it. All cases pending and at issue have now been heard and all have been decided except those which are being held at the request of the attorneys, who desire to file written briefs. On its part the Court leaves Harbin with a clean slate. We are but voicing a common sentiment in saying that the session has been a tremendous benefit, not only to the litigants and those directly interested but also to the community as a whole. The former have been saved the heavy expense of travel for themselves and their witnesses, while civil cases involving nearly or quite Gold $1,000,000 have been heard and, in some instances, disposed of right at their doors. Nothing equivalent to this has ever occurred before in Harbin.

On its criminal side the Court has shown it can temper justice with mercy. While it is unalterably opposed to permitting extra-territoriality to be used as a cloak for unlawful practices it has not, on the other hand, precluded the offender from having his chance of turning over a new leaf and discarding all evil connections. If he is wise he will not be slow to improve the chance.

One of the significant events of the session was the visit to the Court of General Chu Ching-lan, the highest Chinese official of this locality. The General happened to arrive at a time when several interesting features of both civil and criminal cases were in progress and he could hardly have failed to be impressed by the decorum, the expedition and at the same time the rightful consideration with which the business was despatched. Now that the Chinese courts are handling all Russian cases in Harbin such an object lesson inevitably benefits the whole community.

The Court left Harbin with the good wishes and appreciation of its people. Their feelings are expressed in the resolutions adopted by the local American Chamber of Commerce declaring its earnest desire that Judge Lobingier continue his work amongst us for many years to come. To this we need only add the further wish that he may hold annual sessions in Harbin.

Correspondence

THE JAPANESE IN TIME OF TROUBLE

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS:

Dear Sir,—Permit me to thank you for your editorial in The Press for Tuesday concerning the Japanese. Of course, at such a time one hears all sorts of horrible tales, but, as you say, the Japanese are noted for their bravery and courage at such a time, and in the face of such a calamity it is no time to be spreading unfounded tales of their cowardice and treachery. Sincerely yours,

James M. Yard.

Shanghai, Sept. 12, 1923.

From the Japanese earthquake photos in yesterday's CHINA PRESS old man Noah is the only one who ever saw anything worse that those who escaped.

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And speaking of catastrophes—if Shanghai et al is ruint as bad as this foozle-brain'd Taoist priest says it's going to be we hope it actually comes off before No. 1 day and not afterwards.

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Wu Pei-fu is planning a fight on bandits, but first, of course, he must have a conference at Loyang and decide on which bandits.

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REMARKABLE REMARKS

"I am, I suppose, one of the most peaceful citizens in the Republic of China."—President Li Yuan-hung.

"The principal difference between a luxury and a nessary iz, the prise."—Josh Billings.

"Our ideas for the most part are like bad sixpences and we spend our lives in trying to pass them on one another."—Samuel Butler.

* * *

Sir Walter Raleigh had just flung his cloak down so the Queen wouldn't get her tootsies muddy. She hesitated. "Step on it, kid," sez Walter. And so history was made.

* * *

A Dumb Bunny sez that language is a funny thing. In one place it sez President Coolidge likes a modest home, and then right under it it sez lived in a double house in Northampton, Mass.

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IMA HOOT NANNY

Miss Ima Hoot Nanny sez a distant relative is one who's got flocks of dough.

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Correct this sentence: "I am all wrong, darling," said Ma Jongg, "correct me!"

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Fond Recollection

It's queer the way folks make
you think of things,
It's queer what things remind
you of some folks.
There're folks you think of when
you hear a song,
And folks you think of hearing
foolish jokes.
There're folks you think of when
you're feeling blue,
And folks you think of when
you're feeling happy.
There're folks you think of when
you're feeling sweet,
And folks you think of when
you're cross and snappy.
Some folks you think of lots and
lots of times,
And others cross your mind
each now and then.
I think of you whenever I am
broke
And wonder if perhaps you'll
lend me ten.

MYRRIL

* * *

The United States is going to confer with Canada on bootlegging with a view, we surmise, of improving their bootlegging.

* * *

Yes, Little Garlesen, one half the world doesn't know how the other half lives—which is terribly disappointing to one half.

Larry

American Immigration As An International Problem

BY VIRGIL JORDAN
(Foreign Press Service)

In dealing with many of the political economic and social problems of her maturity, the United States suffers from the handicap of a childhood and an adolescence in which she has had pretty much her own way about everything, and therefore has tended to approach many of the situations with which she has recently been confronted in an attitude greatly like that of a spoiled child. She is unaccustomed to paying much attention to the other adult nations around her, and so finds herself often at loggerheads with the world at large, and reluctant to make those adjustments and accomodations which are dictated by the necessities of individual national life among a society of nations. Her disregard of the customs and rights of other nations in the matter of the enforcement of her prohibition laws is a case in point.

In relation to some problems, however, the United States has been increasingly brought around to a more social viewpoint as a nation. The trend of American opinion on the immigration question is a clear indication that the United States is, in this regard, at last growing up. It is definitely being realised, among those who have been giving most thought to the formulation of a more permanent and carefully-considered immigration policy to succeed the present temporary laws, that this whole problem must be approached from the international, human viewpoint rather than from any national, local or specialised economic one.

The immigration problem is coming to be considered more and more as a broadly human problem, for which no just or lasting sentiment can be found which is not based on a full consideration of the racial, biological, psychological and social questions involved in it along with those of international rights and feelings. Immigrants are to be thought of primarily as human beings, rather than as citizens of states, coming to America under the stimulus of the eternal human impulse to seek fuller and more free life. The problems, economic, social and political, which they bring with them for the United States must be considered in the light of a broad view of national and international social progress and human welfare.

These tendencies are primarily the result of some of the concrete problems which certain proposals regarding immigration policy have raised. It has been increasingly felt that the emphasis in future immigration policy should be not so much on the limitation of numbers as on the selection of the most fit and desirable of the newcomers—a positive selection, going beyond the present negative selection and first limitations imposed by the law.

It has been clear that the only practicable way to achieve such a selection, as well as the most humane procedure in it, would be through some process of selection before embarkation. The hardships involved in the rejection of immigrants at Ellis Island, for instance, have been all too apparent, and the only attempt to mitigate these has been through the provisions in the present law imposing fines and severe penalities on the steamship companies bringing in admissible immigrants to American ports.

These provisions have, however, failed to accomplish their purpose. The steamship companies instituted examinations only for the purpose of weeding out the obviously unfit, and these examinations are at best rather superficial. A consular visa of the passport of the immigrant is required, but the American consul has no authority to refuse the visa even to those who may be obviously ineligible under the law, except anarchists and those likely to become public charges. No examination is held to determine mental or physical fitness.

The seriousness of this situation is seen in the large number of debarments at the port of entry. The total number for 1921-1922 was 13,737. Each of these had paid $10 to an American consul for a visa and passed the steamship doctors' examination. Of this number 1,662 were debarred because they came after the quotas were filled. No visa fees were refunded. In some instances, the hardship involved has been so acute and evident that the authorities were constrained to admit altogether 2,508 immigrants in 1921-1922 who came in excess of quotas.

The remedy suggested has been the examination of immigrants by American officials abroad or by officials of foreign governments according to American standards of admissibility. To the first general proposal most of the governments have naturally objected; some have offered the latter as an alternative. This whole problem has become one of the most important in the discussion of the immigration question and will be thoroughly threshed out in developing a permanent immigration policy when the next Congress assembles. It may result in the calling of an international immigration conference. Provision for such a conference is already included in the present immigration law, but for some reasons has never been made use of.

Whether a practicable solution of the problem is found or not, the discussion of it has brought prominently before the public the international character of the immigration question. Attention has been drawn to the way other nations have recently taken up their immigration and emigration problems, some, like Great Britain and Italy attempting to stimulate emigration, others, like Canada, and France and Australia, making efforts to stimulate immigration, and many nations entering into agreements and arrangements with others to facilitate the ceaseless shiftings of populations and make the conditions for the immigrants safe and just.

Thus more and more the nations are being drawn into counsel and conference on these human problems, and the United States, as the largest of them, and as the nation whose immigration problem is perhaps the most complex and far-reaching, cannot escape these international relationships and the consequent growth of an international view of the problems arising from them. She will within the next year be compelled, probably, to adopt a more permanent immigration policy. But the pressure to consider this policy from narrow economic points of view as a matter of labor shortage, for instance—will largely have disappeared by next December when Congress meets, and more humane and far-sighted view of the question will have an opportunity to make themselves felt and heard. The annual pathetic spectacle of the midnight July first rush by the steamship companies to land their human cargoes, suggesting as it does the patent deficiencies of the quota restrictions under the Per Centum Limit Act, will probably emphasize again the need of international conference and arrangement.

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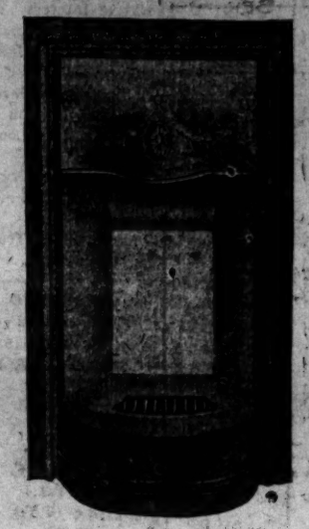

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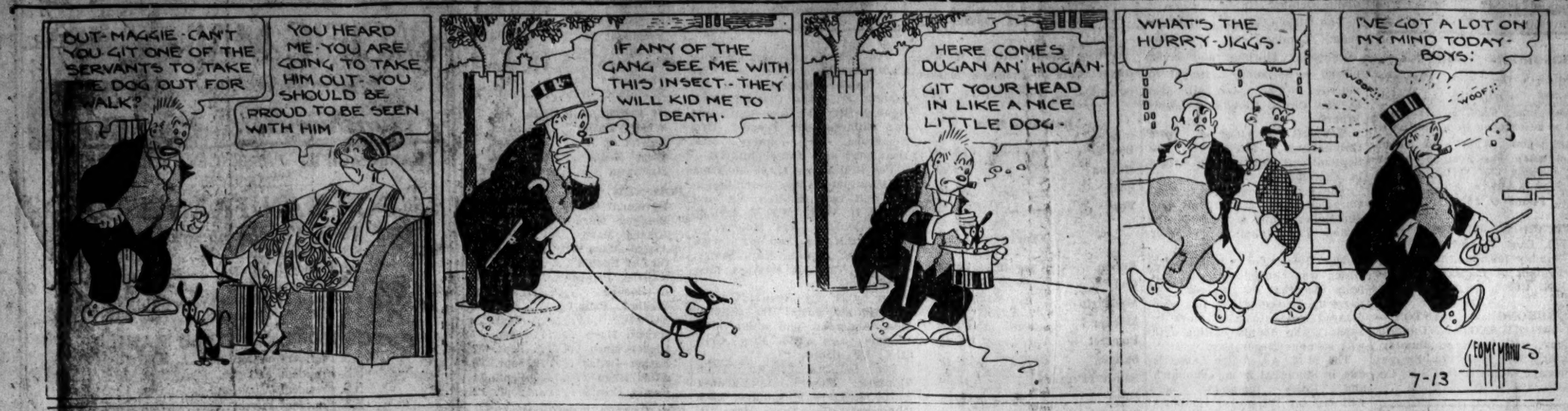
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YOU HEARD ME-YOU ARE GOING TO TAKE HIM OUT-YOU SHOULD BE PROUD TO BE SEEN WITH HIM
IF ANY OF THE GANG SEE ME WITH THIS INSECT-THEY WILL KID ME TO DEATH-
HERE COMES DUGAN AN' HOGAN-GIT YOUR HEAD IN LIKE A NICE LITTLE DOG-
WHAT'S THE HURRY-JIGGS-
I'VE GOT A LOT ON MY MIND TODAY-BOYS:
WOOF!!
WOOF!!
7-13
GEO MCMANUS

A Chat On Tides

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS
Famous Astronomer And Writer On Scientific Topics Of Popular Interest

"I lived on the seashore several years, and never could understand why the tide comes in several hours ahead of the moon. When the moon is overhead it is about low tide, just about the time when the pull of the moon should be the greatest.

"Also, does the sun have any pulling power, and if so why does it not affect the tides the same as the moon? It is a known fact among coal miners, at which occupation I worked several years, that most cave-ins occur at noon and at midnight. As an explanation of this I took it for granted that the sun had a pulling power, and at noon the load upon the props was lightened while the sun was nearly overhead, but the pressure upon the props became very much greater when the sun passed farther on, releasing its pull and letting the load down upon the props with some force. At midnight I supposed the sun's pull downward would increase the load on the props.—E.A.S., North Wilksboro, N. C."

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It is greatly to your credit that you do so much thinking, wherever you are. Even when the explanations that you think out for yourself are wrong, it is better to have attempted them than not to have thought at all and you are sure to get at the truth eventually.

The reason why the tide does not keep directly under the moon as the moon travels around the earth is that the daily rotation of the earth on its axis carried the water past the line joining the centers of the two bodies before the tide-bearing force has time to exert its full effect. By the time that this effect has attained a maximum the tidal crest is far away from the moon.

The time of high tide at any given place is also governed by the course that the tidal wave has to take in following the shore outlines. This line varies for different harbors and is called "the establishment of the port," meaning the number of hours after the moon's passage of the meridian that the tide is highest at that port.

SUN PULLS, TOO

Of course the sun "pulls" as well as the moon, but owing to its great distance its effect upon the tides is much less. The sun's inherent gravitational power is twenty-six million times that of the moon; but, being about four hundred times as far away, and the effect of graviation varying inversely as the cube of the distance (the cube, not the square, when tidal effect is in question), the result is that the sun raises a tide the height of which, compared with, that raised by the moon, is about as 26 to 64, or say as one to two-and-a-half. Twice every month the solar and lunar tides combine, and then we have what are called "spring tides," and twice a month they are opposed, their crests being ninety degrees apart and at these times we have the "neap tides."

The spring tides occur at new and full moon, when the "pulls" of sun and moon are parallel, and the neap tides at the lunar quarters, when the two bodies pull at right angles to one another.

Now, for your second question You were right when you supposed that the sun exerted a maximum "lifting" force on the roof of the coal mine about the time of noon. But it does the same thing at midnight, for then, too, its effect upon the roof of the mine is to diminish the force of the earth's gravity upon it. The reason is the same as that for the existence of a tidal wave simultaneously on opposite sides of the earth. Your idea that coal-falls might be induced by the changing effects of the sun's attraction is not new, but the force is very slight—probably far too slight ever to cause such disasters.

LUNAR ATTRACTION

Since the moon exerts more than twice as much effect of this kind than the sun, let us base a calculation on the lunar attraction. The respective distances of the earth's surface from the moon are in the ratio of 60 to 59. The moon's pull at the surface is to its pull at the center inversely as the squares of 60 and 59, which are 3,600 and 3,481. But the inherent gravitational power of the moon is only one-eightieth of the earth's, so that these ratios must be divided by 80 when compared with the earth's attraction. Thus we find the moon's attraction at the earth's surface is one-278,480th of the earth's own attraction there, while its attraction at the center is one-288,000th of the earth's.

Subtracting the smaller fraction from the larger we find that, at the surface, the moon's pull is one-8,424,000th of the earth's, which means that it diminishes the weight of bodies there by about one part in eight millions!

As Professor Young remarks in his "Manual of Astronomy," after making a similar calculation, although attempts have been made to detect this variation of weight by direct experiment they have been unsuccessful because of the smallness of the amount.

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NEW GEMS by O. HENRY

A Treasure-Trove of Humor From His Newly Discovered Newspaper Writings

A PASTEL

Above all hangs the dreadful night.

He pleads with her.

Has hand is on her arm.

They stand in cold solemn night, gazing into a brilliantly lighted room.

His face is white and terror stricken. Hers is wilful, defiant and white with the surging impulse of destiny.

Ten minutes away on the Harrisburg road a draggle tailed rooster crows, but the woman does not falter.

He pleads with her.

She shakes off his hand with a gesture of loathing and takes a step forward toward the lighted room.

He pleads with her.

Crystal flakes of moonlight quiver on the trees above; star dust flecks the illimitable rim of the Ineligible. The Whicheverness of the Absolute reigns preeminent. Sin is below, Peace above.

The whip of the North wind trails a keen lash upon them. Carriages sweep by. Frost creeps upon the stones, lies crustily along the parapets, spangles and throws back in Arctic scintillation the moon's challenging rays.

He pleads with her.

At last she turns, conquered.

He has refused to treat her to oysters.

A UNIVERSAL FAVORITE

The most popular and best loved young lady in the United States is Miss Annie Williams of Philadelphia. Her picture is possessed by more men, and is more eagerly sought after than that of Lillian Russell, Mrs. Langtry, or any other famous beauty.

There is more demand for her pictures than for the counterfeit presentments of all the famous men and women in the world combined. And yet she is a modest, charming and rather retiring young lady, with a face less beautiful than it is remarkable for a clear and classic outline.

Miss Williams is soon to be married, but it is expected that the struggle for her pictures will go on as usual.

She is the lady the profile of whose face served as the model for the head of Liberty on our silver dollar.

Something To Think About

By Bruno Lessing

TRUFFLE HUNTING

The truffle (tuber melanosporum) is a fungus which grows under the ground. The variety that is found in France has a most delicious flavor. in a goose liver pate or a salmi of duck or even in a plain omelet, properly cooked, it has a flavor that makes you bless the name of the person who invented cooking. And, with a glass of dry champagne—ah-h-h! But that is merely a matter of history.

Truffles are supposed to be the product of acorns which have fallen from the trees, in certain parts of the world, and gradually have been absorbed by the soil. All of which is neither here nor there. The point is that truffles are gathered in this way.

The peasant ties a rope around the neck of a hog. The hog sniffs the ground, smells the truffle and begins to root for it. The moment the hog has dug up enough soil to disclose the truffle, the peasant hits him over the nose with a stick, yanks him back and picks up the truffle himself.

* * *

It is a beautiful system and you cannot help admiring it. One of its great advantages is that only the peasants talk about it. The hogs' side has never been told.

Another impressive feature of this system is its popularity. It seems to have been copied all over the world.

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Many people will shake their heads, sadly, and say,

"Yes, I, too, am a victim of truffle hunting. I have evolved great ideas—or I have unearthed great treasures—or I have made great discoveries—or I have conceived great inventions—only to have them taken from me by someone who rapped me on the nose and pulled me back."

Therein is typified much of the injustice in the world. Those who sniff great things and point out their existence and their whereabouts, do not often get the fruit of their labor. Many of these people go through life nursing a sense of injury.

Perhaps they are right. Perhaps they are wrong. Communism seems to be based upon truffle-hunting. Likewise sovietism. They are the protest against the existing system.

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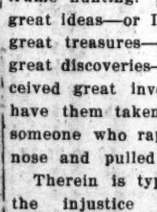
You will find much food for thought in carrying this analogy into every department of human endeavor. One fact, however, you must constantly keep in mind.

The peasant could never find the truffle; the hog could never sell it.



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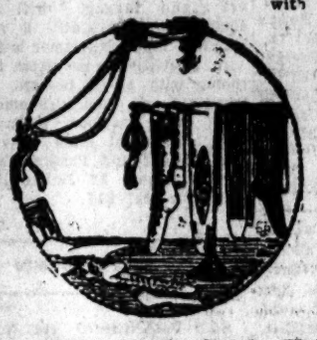

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Tomorrow May be Too Late

This space contributed by International Banking Corporation; Admiral Oriental Line, Struther & Barry.

GENERAL SHIPPING NEWS

Vessels Loading

For River Ports

...NKOW & PORTS.—The ...-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. ...CKWO, 1,770 Tons, Captain ...mpbell, will sail for the above-...entioned ports from Hunt's ...rf on Friday, September 14, ...bout midnight. For Freight ...Passage, apply to JARDINE, ...THESON & Co., Ltd., General ...agers. Telephone Central ...Extensions to Freight and ...ssenger Departments.

...NKOW & PORTS.—The ...-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. ...NGYUNG, Capt. Smith, ...leave on Sunday, Sept. 16, ...midnight. For Freight or Pas-...apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

...NKOW & PORTS.—The ...-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. ...TWO, 2,564 Tons, Captain ...ps, will sail for the above-...entioned ports from Hunt's ...rf on Monday, September 17, ...bout midnight. For Freight ...Passage, apply to JARDINE, ...THESON & Co., Ltd., General ...agers. Telephone Central ...Extensions to Freight and ...ssenger Departments.

...NKOW & PORTS.—The ...-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. ...NGWO, 2,935 Tons, Captain ...mwood, will sail for the above-...entioned ports from Hunt's ...rf on Tuesday, September 18, ...about midnight. For Freight ...Passage, apply to JARDINE, ...THESON & Co., Ltd., General ...agers. Telephone Central ...Extensions to Freight and ...ssenger Departments.

...NKOW & PORTS.—The ...-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. ...ENHO, 2,868 tons, Captain ...ridge, will sail for the above-...entioned ports from Hunt's ...rf on Thursday, Sept. 20, ...about midnight. For Freight ...Passage, apply to JARDINE, ...THESON & Co., Ltd., General ...agers. Telephone: Central ...Extensions to Freight and ...ssenger Departments.

...NKOW & PORTS.—The ...-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. ...NGWO, 4,635 Tons, Captain ..., will sail for the above-...entioned ports from Hunt's ...rf on Friday, September 21, ...about midnight. For Freight ...Passage, apply to JARDINE, ...THESON & Co., Ltd., General ...agers. Telephone: Central ...Extensions to Freight and ...ssenger Departments.

For Southern Ports

...NGFO.—The steamer HSIN ...NGTEEN, Captain Randbye, ...ll leave on Saturday, Sept. 15, ...t 5:30 p.m. For Freight or Pas-...ge, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

...OOCHOW.—The Str. HSIN-..., Capt. Hansen, will leave on ...turday morning, Sept. 15. For ...eight or Passage, apply to C.M. ... Co.

HONGKONG DIRECT.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo and Passenger Steamer ARABIA MARU, 20,000 tons, Capt. S. Yamaga, will be despatched from the O.S.K. Yangtszepoo Wharf on Sept. 16, at noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road. Phone C. 4224.

...WENCHOW.—The Str. FEI-CHING, Capt. Manley, will leave on Sunday morning, Sept. 16. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The Str. KWANGTAH, Captain McLean, will leave on Sunday morning, Sept. 16. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

For Northern Ports

CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. HSINFUNG, Captain Davis, will leave on Saturday morning, Sept. 15. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

CHINWANGTAO DIRECT.—The Kailan Mining Administration steamer KAIPING, Captain R. Macfarlane, will be despatched on Sept. 16. Tender for passengers and luggage will leave Customs Jetty at 9 a.m. on Sept. 16. This steamer is fitted with WIRELESS, has extra Staterooms with steam heaters, electric light and fans, also smoking room and spacious promenade deck. Excellent table provided. For Freight and Passage, apply to the Agent, 32 Jinkee Road, Phone Central 217.

For Foreign Ports

SAN FRANCISCO via NAGASAKI, INLAND SEA, KOBE, YOKOHAMA & HONOLULU.—The s.s. SIBERIA MARU, 20,000 tons, Capt. M. Otani, will be despatched on Monday evening, 17. Tender conveying passengers and mails will leave Customs jetty at 3:30 p.m. For passage, apply to TOYO KISEN KAISHA, No. 71 Szechuan Road, Shanghai. Tel. No. 3229-3230.

Passengers Departed

Per C.N. s.s. Luenyi for Hankow: Messrs. E. Brook, C. Bailey.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Yamashiro Maru for Kobe: Miss J. McMurray, Messrs. D. Arbuthnot, R. S. K. Irwin, E. Pomoroy.

Per I-C. s.s. Suiwo for Kiukiang: Mr. R. W. Roberts; for Hankow: Misses Murray, D. Williams, H. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Holnot, Mrs. G. Storis, Messrs. A. Gerry, H. G. McKenzie J. W. Andrews.

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangwah for Hankow: Mrs. T. A. Aiers.

Shipping Items

RIVER PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyang left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Shengking left Hankow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangan left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung left Hankow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The I.C. s.s. Longwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangteen will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Woosung will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangshun will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Tuesday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen left Hongkong on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsean left Foochow on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Taisang is due to leave Hongkong for Swatow and Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang left Hongkong yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Monday.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Swatow on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei today.

The I-C. s.s. Taksang is due in Shanghai from Newchwang tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien left Tientsin yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Sunday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Trafalgar (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Tuesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The K.M.A. s.s. Kyokuto Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Gracchus left Calcutta on September 4 and is due to arrive in Shanghai about September 25.

The P. and O. s.s. Sicilia will leave Shanghai for Bombay via ports today, and the tender with outgoing passengers for the steamer will leave the Customs jetty at 11 a.m.

EUROPEAN LINES

The Blue Funnel s.s. Telamon left Singapore on September 7 and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Elpenor left Singapore on Sept. 8 and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong on Monday.

The P. & O. s.s. Kalyan left London on September 6 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on October 16.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Knight Templar left Kobe on Monday and is due in Shanghai via Moji and Nagasaki tomorrow.

The N.D.L. s.s. Weser left Singapore on September 8 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai next Monday.

The N.D.L. s.s. Pfalz left Antwerp on September 2 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about October 19.

The Glen Line s.s. Glenluce, from London, left Hongkong Wednesday morning and is expected to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow. The vessel will dock at the China Merchants Lower Wharf.

The S.E. s.s. Ceylon, from Gothenburg, left Suez on September 6 and is due to arrive in Shanghai on October 5.

The S.E. m.s. Sydland, from Gotheburg, left Immingham on September 6 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on October 25.

The Gostergfiot s.s. Simbirsk which was scheduled to sail from Shanghai for Odessa via ports on September 20, has been delayed owing to relief work in Japan. The definite sailing date will be announced later.

The M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon is due in Shanghai from Yokohama and Kobe tomorrow, and will sail for Marseilles via ports early Sunday afternoon. The tender with outgoing passengers for the steamer will leave the French Mail jetty at 10 a.m.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Mentor left Kobe on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai via Milke next Sunday.

The P. and O. s.s. Nellore, from London on August 17, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai next Monday at noon.

The P. and O. s.s. Karmala which arrived in Shanghai from London and docked at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf last Tuesday, will sail for Moji and Kobe at noon tomorrow.

AMERICAN LINES

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley, from Seattle on August 30, should arrive at Yokohama on Tuesday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai next Sunday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson was to leave Seattle on Tuesday, and is due to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on September 28.

The S. & B. s.s. West Cactus is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on September 21, and will sail for Hongkong and Singapore on Sept. 25.

The S. & B. s.s. Mursa is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles on September 29, and will sail for Manila direct on October 1.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Montague is due in Shanghai from Portland on October 1 and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila on October 3.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln will leave Shanghai for San Francisco via Honolulu and Japan ports next Tuesday.

The Dollar s.s. Grace Dollar left Manila for Shanghai on Wednesday.

The Dollar s.s. Stanley Dollar left Norfolk for the Orient on September 2.

The Dollar s.s. Harold Dollar left San Francisco for Coos Bay on August 28.

The T.K.K. s.s. Taiyo Maru which was due here from San Francisco tomorrow, has been delayed owing to relief work in Japan. The vessel has been put back to Yokohama, and passengers for Shanghai will come on the Andre Lebon tomorrow.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Russia, from Vancouver on Sept. 6, should arrive at Yokohama next Monday and is expected in Shanghai on September 21.

The P.M. s.s. President Taft, from San Francisco on September 6, was due to leave Honolulu on Wednesday and is expected in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on Septmeber 26.

The T.K.K. s.s. Siberia Maru will sail from Woosung for San Francisco next Monday, and the tender with outgoing passengers for Woosung will leave the Customs jetty at 8.30 p.m.

The P.M. s.s. President Wilson will leave Kobe tomorrow and is due here next Monday. The vessel will dock at the China Merchants Central Wharf and is scheduled to sail for Hongkong and Manila on Wednesday.

The O.S.K. s.s. Arabia Maru arrived in Shanghai from U.S.A. yesterday and will sail for Hongkong at noon tomorrow.

The Columbia Pacific steamers West Jena and Wawalona, both from Portland, Oregon, are indefinitely delayed owing to their being used in Japan for relief work. The vessels are now plying between Yokohama and Kobe.

Steamers Arrived

Sep. 12—Tseangtah from H'kow
Sep. 12-U.S.S. Isabel from H'kow
Sep. 13—Kaiping from C'tao
Sep. 13—Haiying from .....
Sep. 13—Pingyang from Dairen
Sep. 13—Soochow from Tsingtao
Sep. 13—Sunning from H'kong
Sep. 13—Tuckwo from Hankow
Sep. 13—Ngankin from Hankow
Sep. 13Siangyang M. from H'kow
Sep. 13—Pacific from Cruise
Sep. 13—Arabia M. from U.S.A.
Sep. 13—Hsinfung from Tientsin
Sep. 13—Kwangtah from H'kong
Sep. 13—Hsinchi from Foochow
Sep. 13—Dryden from Manila
Sep. 13—Yekishin M. from T'tao

Provision Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on September 11, 1923.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	"	18-30
Pork	"	30-40
Veal	"	14-25
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	40-50
Cod	"	20-25
Mandarin	"	50-60
Mackerel	"	30-35
Pomfret	"	25-30
Salmon	"	25-30
Samli (Frozen)	"	Tls1.00
Soles	"	30-45
Whitebait	"	30-40
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Dear	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	20-25
Fowl	per lb.	30-35
Hare	"	none
Partridge	"	none
Pheasant	"	none
Geese	each	80-$1.00
Plover	"	none
Quail	"	none
Snipe	"	18-20
Teal	"	none
Turkey	per lb.	50-55
Woodcock	each	none
Wild Duck	"	none
Duck	"	60-90
Wild Pigeon	"	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	"	12-20
Banana	"	8-10
Chestnuts	"	20-22
Cherries	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	18-20
Figs	per doz.	5-8
Grapes	per lb.	20-25
Grape fruit	each	none
Lemons	"	9-10
Lichees	per lb.	none
Oranges	"	$1.00-01.20
Peaches	per lb.	15-18
Mangoes	each	none
Melons	"	20-30
Mangosteens	per doz.	none
Persimmons	per lb.	8-10
Pesboss	"	none
Plums	"	none
Pumeloes	each	20-25
Pineapples	"	none
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	"	8-10
Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	none
Asparagus	per doz.	20-30
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	1-2
Broad Beans	per lb.	10-12
Cabbages	each	8-10
Celery	per bunch	2-3
Carrots	"	4-5
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg plant	per lb.	6-8
French Beans	"	16-20
Peas	"	none
Tomatoes	"	12-14
Leeks	per bunch	5-6
Parsnips	"	4-5
Potatoes	per picul	$2.00-$2.20
Radishes	per picul	1-2
Onions	per lbs.	2-3
Spinach	per lb.	6-8
Grain and Flour		
Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.25
Flour Shanghai	"	$3.10
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$3.10
Barley	"	$4.00
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$13.60
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	"	$0.25
Fuel		
Fire Wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton Tls.	19.50
House Coal	"	17.25

E. Kilner,
Chief Inspector.

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the P. and O. s.s. Sicilia, for Bombay will leave the Customs Jetty at 11 a.m.

Sunday, September 16, 1923

The tender conveying passengers and hand baggage on board the M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon, for Marseilles will leave the French Mail Jetty at 10 a.m.

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the K.M.A. s.s. Kaiping, for Chinwangtao will leave the Customs Jetty at 9 a.m.

Monday, September 17, 1923

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the T.K.K. s.s. Siberia Maru, for San Francisco will leave the Customs Jetty at 8:30 p.m.

Passengers Arrived

Per K.M.A. s.s. Kaiping from Chinwangtao: Mr. and Mrs. Mahon, the three Misses Mahon, Mr. Mahon Jr., Mrs. Cottrell, Mrs. Rennie, Mrs. Heaton Smith and two children, Mrs. Spencer, Miss Nesterobe, Mr. Forster, Mrs. Beaumont and three children.

Per K.M.A. s.s. Hwahchie from Chinwangtao: Mrs. Ibsen-Sorensen and two children, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Athur, Miss E. Arthur, Bishop Molony, Mrs. Molony.

Per C.N. s.s. Sunning from Hongkong: Messrs. Kay, Henry, Legendre, Capt. R. Haymes, Mrs. MacFarlane.

Per C.N. s.s. Ngankin from Hankow and ports: Mrs. Gilman, Mrs. Anderson and child, Mrs. Lampler and child, Miss Griffiths, Mr. Gibbs.

Per I-C. s.s. Tuckwo from Hankow: Messrs. A. Burnett, Evany, Rodgers, E. Molines; from Kiukiang: Miss Nash, Mrs. Vilandeki, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. and Miss Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Saker and two children; from Chinkiang: Mr. and Mrs. H. N Steptal and child.

Per C.N. s.s. Soochow from Tsingtao: Mr. and Mrs. Little and son, the Misses Collins, Miss Stekury, Mr. and Mrs. MacGaon, Misses MacGaon, Lyall, Messrs. Collins, Currie.

Per C.N. s.s. Shantung from Hongkong: Masters H. Giffew, C. Cappew, E. Worley, Mrs. Lavers, Master Lavers, Mrs. Baker, Master Baker, Misses N. Giffew, H. Capon, M. Lesher.

Steamers Departed

Sep. 13—Kiangfoo for Hankow
Sep. 13—Luenyi for Hankow
Sep. 13—Ningshao for Hankow
Sep. 13—Suiyang M. for Hankow
Sep. 13—Fokien for .....
Sep. 13—H.M.S. Bee for cruise
Sep. 13—Yamashiro M. for Jap.
Sep. 13—Likin for Cruise
Sep. 13—Chuentiao for Cruise
Sep. 13—Hakkai M. for Wuhu
Sep. 13—Daiya M. for Tayeh
Sep. 13—Shinyue for Vladivostok
Sep. 13—Sakaki M. for T. Dairen
Sep. 13—Irene for Tientsin
Sep. 13—Fujisan M. for N. C'-oms
Sep. 13—Chengtu for N'chwang
Sep. 13—Kwangping for T'tsin
Sep. 13—Isshin M. for Dairen
Sep. 13—Yei M. 2 for N. Customs
Sep. 13—H. K'teen for Ningpo

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

Acme	Aug. 12
Tenyo Maru	Aug. 16
President Cleveland	Aug. 18
Korea Maru	Aug. 23
President Pierce	Sept. 4

FOR VANCOUVER

Empress of Russia	Aug. 12
Empress of Australia	Aug. 27
Canadian Highlander	Aug. 29
Empress of Asia	Sept. 8

FOR SEATTLE

President Jackson	Aug. 17
President Jefferson	Aug. 29
Crosskeys	Sep. 4
Shidzuoka Maru	Sept. 9
President Grant	Sept. 11

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

West O'Rowa	Aug. 30
Pawlet	Sept. 1
West Keats	Sept. 2
Hannawa	Sept. 8

FOR NEW YORK

Egremont Castle	Aug. 11
Delagoa Maru	Aug. 15
Alaska Maru	Aug. 16
Africa Maru	Aug. 21
City of Boston	Aug. 21
Moorish Prince	Aug. 27
Antilochus	Aug. 30
William Penn	Sept. 1
Eelbeck	Sept. 4
Hawaii Maru	Sep. 5
Lisbon Maru	Sept. 7
Esther Dollar	Sept. 10
Atlas Maru	Sept. 11
Bowes Castle	Sept. 12

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Titan	Aug. 12
Carnarvonshire	Aug. 12
Laomedon	Aug. 14
Dardanus	Aug. 16
Kashmir	Aug. 18
Hakone Maru	Aug. 18
City of Dunkirk	Aug. 22
Suwa Maru	Aug. 25
Durban Maru	Aug. 26
Agamemnon	Aug. 27
City of Glasgow	Aug. 29
Patroclus	Aug. 31
Macedonia	Sept. 4
Eurybates	Sept. 7
Fushimi Maru	Sept. 8
Lycaon	Sept. 12

FOR HAMBURG

Scheer	Aug. 15
Goettingen	Aug. 18
Muensterland	Aug. 19
Matsuye Maru	Aug. 29
Saparoea	Sept. 6

FOR COPENHAGEN

Bolivia	Aug. 14

FOR BARCELONA

Isla de Panay	Sept. 4

FOR TRIESTE

Trieste	Sept. 1

FOR MARSEILLES

Commandant Dorise	Aug. 13
Chambord	Aug. 17
Paul Lecat	Aug. 31

FOR INDIA

Alipore	Aug. 17
Kutsang	Aug. 31
Janus	Sep. 4

Weather Report

Sep. 12.—The anticyclone is increasing on the Continent and the Yellow Sea. The center of the typhoon, became a depression, is pushed Southwestern wards towards northern Formosa. Another typhoon is approaching the Loochoos from Southeastern but the telegrams are lacking to follow it. Northerly winds along our coast. Overcast weather with intermittent drizzle.

Sep. 13.—Damp and overcast weather. Pressure high and steady. North northeastern breezes. The low center in the south is approaching the Pescadores, apparently decreasing.

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Shinanoks Maru ....Sept. 9
Kaga Maru .....Sept. 20

FOR SOUTH AMERICA VIA Cape Town From Kobe.
Kanagawa Maru .....Oct. 18

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*Lyons Maru .....Sept. 27
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AMBOISE	27th July	4th Sept.	28th Sept.
CORDILLERE	10th Aug.	16th Sept.	12th Oct.
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U.S.S.B. S.S. "WAWALONA" ..... Sept.
U.S.S.B. S.S. "MONTAGUE" ..... Oct. 1

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fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
2h. 13m.	10ft. 2in.	2h. 34m.	10ft. 8in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
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Approximate rise, 5½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

	A.M.	P.M.
	H. M.	H. M.
	1 15	1 36

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Moon		Sun		Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets		
9.9 a.m.	8.42 p.m.	5h. 43m.	6h. 11m.	4h. 57m.	6h. 56m.

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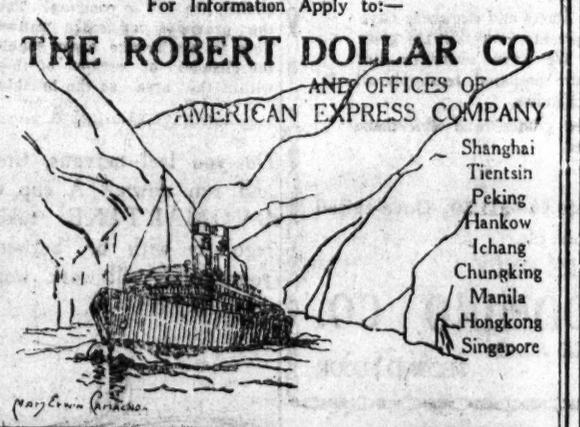

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Sep. 18 — San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Sep. 20 — Seattle	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 20 — New York	C. of Bagdad	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 22 — Vancouver	C. Freighter	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 22 — Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
Sep. 24 — Vancouver	Grace Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Sept. 24 — Vancouver	†E. of Canada	Br. C. P. S.
Sep. 26 — Seattle	Arabia Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 26 — New York	Celtic Prince	Br. Furness
Sep. 29 — San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Sep 30 — New York	Perseus	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 3 — San Francisco	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K
Oct. 3 — Portland, Ore.	Montague	Am. Lumber Co.
Oct. 4 — Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 5 — Seattle	Arizona Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Oct. 6 — Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Oct. 13 — San Francisco	†P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Oct. 16 — Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 20 — Vancouver	C. Skirmisher	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 20 — New York	Toba Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct 27 — San Francisco	†P. Celeveland	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 28 — Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 29 — San Francisco	Tenyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Nov. 3 — Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.
Nov. 9 — San Francisco	†Korea Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Nov. 9 — Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Nov. 10 — San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Sep. 15 noon ½Moji, Kobe, Yama	Karmala	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 15 — Kobe	Kitano M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
Sep. 16 — Kobe, etc.	Taian Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 18 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Hakuai Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 19 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Sep. 20 — Kobe	Amazon Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 21 — Kobe, etc.	Takeshima M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 22 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 26 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 29 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N.Y.K.

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Sep. 14 11.00 *Bombay	Sicilia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 15 — Liverpool	Kt. Templar	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 15 — Lonon, etc.	C. of Norwich	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 15 — Hamburg, etc.	Albert B. Voeg	Ger. H. S. Linie
Sep. 16 10.00*Marseilles	†Andre Lebon	Fr. M.M. Cie
Sep. 16 — Hamburg, etc.	Tsuyama Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Sep. 18 — London	†Dongola	Br. M.M. & Co.
Sep. 20 — Antwerp, etc.	Mentor	Br. B. & S.
Sept. 22 — London, etc.	Mishima Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 23 — Hamburg, etc.	Pembrokeshire	Br. G.L.E.A.
Sep. 24 — Hamburg, etc.	London Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 27 — Liverpool	Lyons Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Sep. 28 — Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M.M. Cie
Sep. 30 — Liverpool	Telamon	Br. B. & S.
Oct. 2 — London	†Mantua	Br. M.M. & Co
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Oct. 20 — London	Hakusan M	Jap. N. Y. K.
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Nov. 11 — Marseilles	†Chili	Fr. M. M. Cie
Nov. 13 — London	†Malwa	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 23 — Marseilles	Porthos	Fr. M.M. Cie
Nov. 27 London	†Kalyan	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 11 — London	†Devanha	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 25 — London	†Kaiser-I-Hind	Br. M.M. & Co.
Jan. 8 — London	†Khiva	Fr. M. M. Cie

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Sep. 26 — Melbourne, etc.	†Tango Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Oct. 6 — Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.
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Sep. 15 noon Hongkong, Manila	Arabia Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Sep. 15 4.00 Ningpo	Hsin Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 15 — Formosa	Kohoku M.	Jap. O.S.K.
Sept. 15 — Hongkong, Manila	Taiyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Sep. 15 D.L. H'kong, C'ton	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 15 8.00 Foochow	Ningshin	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Sep. 15 — Foochow	Hsinchi	Chi. C.M.S.N Co.
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Sep. 18 3.00 Hongkong, Canton	Luchow	Br. B. & S.
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Sep. 18 — Hongkong, Manila	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
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Sep. 21 — Hongkong	Arizona M.	Jap. O. S. K.
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Oct. 10 — Hongkong, Manila	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Oct. 12 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Oct. 12 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Oct. 13 — Hongkong, Manila	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Sep. 14 D.L. Newchwang	Loksang	Br. J. M. & Co
Sep. 14 3.00 *W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 15 D.L. Antung	Hanyang	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 15 — Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinfung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Sep. 15 1.00 Tsingtao	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
Sep. — Dairen, etc.	West Jena	Am. Lumber Co.
Sep. 16 D.L. W. C'foo, T'tsin	Kingsing	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 16 D.L. W. C'foo, T'tsin	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 16 9.00 *Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br. K.M.A.
Sep. 16 2.00 Antung	Changchow	Br. B.& S.
Sep. 18 3.00 Newchwang	Hunan	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 18 4.00 Tsingtao, Dairen	Sakaki M.	Jap. O.K.K.
Sep. 13 3.00 W. C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.

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Sep. 14 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
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Sep. 15 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Whangpu	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 16 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 17 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 17 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 17 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 18 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 18 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
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Sep. 20 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
Sep. 21 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Sep. 21 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Sep. 21 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.

M. N.—MIDNIGHT
D. L.—DAYLIGHT
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The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Sep. 17	8 p.m.	P. Lincoln	S. Francisco	Oct. 7
Sep. 17	6.30 a.m.	Siberia M.	S. Francisco	Oct. 12

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	9 a.m.	Sicilia	Marseilles	Oct. 26
Sep. 16	9 a.m.	A. Lebon	Marseilles	Oct. 19
Sep. 18	1 p.m.	Dongola	Marseilles	Oct. 30

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11 a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Manchuli
Chefoo and Tientsin	Today	9 p.m.	Hsinfung
Antung	Today	10.30 a.m.	Hanyang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	1.30 p.m.	Tungchow
Tsingtao	Sep. 15	11.30 a.m.	Sunning
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Sep. 15	9 p.m.	Shengking
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Sep. 15	9 p.m.	Kingsing
Antung	Sep. 16	12.30 p.m.	Changchow
Tsingtao and Dairy	Sep. 18	2.30 p.m.	Saikio Maru
Newchwang	Sep. 18	1.30 p.m.	Hunan

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Hongkong & Canton	Today	9 a.m.	Sicilia
Hongkong & Canton	Today	2 p.m.	Soochow
Amoy	Today	9.30 a.m.	Luchuan Maru
Hongkong & Canton	Today	9.30 a.m.	Glenmanie
Wenchow	Sep. 15	9 p.m.	Feichling
Foochow	Sep. 15	8 p.m.	Ningshin
Hongkong & Canton	Sep. 15	9 p.m.	Kwangtah
Amoy	Sep. 15	11.30 a.m.	Shantung
Swatow	Sep. 15	9 p.m.	Fooshing
Hongkong & Canton	Sep. 16	9 a.m.	A. Lebon
Swatow	Sep. 16	12.30 p.m.	Liangchow
Hongkong & Canton	Sep. 18	1.30 p.m.	Luchow

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	Today	8 p.m.	Kitano Maru
Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Sep. 15	1 p.m.	Taiyo Maru
Japan ports	Sep. 15	10 a.m.	Karmala
Germany, Ports	Sep. 17	8 p.m.	A. Voegler
Japan ports	Sep. 18	1.30 p.m.	Kumano Maru
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Sep. 18	3 p.m.	P. Lincoln

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
M C W		Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
K N D		Cracube	Fr. Gunboat
O D W	Aug. 2	E. Carlotto	It. Gun-boat
FNB	Sep. 6	Foxglove	Br. Cruiser
U S N B	Sep. 12	Isabel	Am. Yacht
M C W	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
I C	" 28	Quiros	Am. Gun-boat
E E W	Sep. —	Sumida	Jap. Gunboat
O D W	Aug. 20	Widgeon	Br. Gunboat

Vessels Due

Audre Lebon, *Kobe* .....Sep. 15
Benledi, *London* .....Sep. 15
Changon, *Hankow* .....Sep. 15
Chungking, *Hankow* .....Sep. 16
Cordillere, *Marseilles* ....Sep. 15
C. Freighter, *Vancouver* ..Sep. 20
Chekiang, *Hongkong* .....Sep. 20
Dongola, *Kobe* .....Sep. 15
E. of Russia, *Vancouver* ..Sep. 21
Elpenor, *Liverpool* .....Sep. 17
Fausang, *Tientsin* .....Sep. 17
Fengtien, *Tientsin* .....Sep. 16
Glenluce, *London* .....Sep. 15
Haean, *Foochow* .....Sep. 14
Hakuai Maru, *Osaka* .....Sep. 15
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo* ....Sep. 14
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo* ..Sep. 15
Kaga Maru, *Hongkong* ....Sep. 19
Kiangtoo, *Hankow* .....Sep. 21
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Kiangshun, *Hankow* .....Sep. 13
Kianghsin, *Hankow* .....Sep. 16
Kiangteen, *Hankow* .....Sep. 17
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Kiangyung, *Hankow* .....Sep. 14
Kingsing, *Tientsin* .....Sep. 14
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Luenho, *Hankow* .....Sep. 19
Luenyi, *Hankow* .....Sep. 21
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Ningshin, *Foochow* .....Sep. 15
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Pres. Madison, *Hongkong* ..Sep. 21
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Pres. Wilson, *S. Francisco* Sep. 17
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Siberia Maru, *Manila* ....Sep. 17
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Szechuen, *Hongkong* .....Sep. 18
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The Disaster In Japan

The news from the scene of the great earthquake does not improve. In fact it seems now that history will have to record the disaster as unprecedented, both in regard to the loss of life and the destruction of property. The tales of the refugees from Yokohama and Tokio add to the horrors that the imagination conjures up as to the fate of those who were counted as friends and comrades. There now seems to be no doubt that Yokohama is wiped out, whether by the earthquake, or by fire, a combination which man is powerless to fight against, says the Japan Chronicle. Some of those who have perished were old enough to remember the great earthquake of 1855 which destroyed Tokyo before Yokohama was in existence save as a small fishing village. But the conditions in 1855 were not those of 1923, and one wonders whether our modern material civilisation has not increased the horror of such catastrophes. In the present days of gas and water mains and electric wires, the dangers of an earthquake are considerably increased. In 1855 no fire followed the earthquake and its accompanying tidal waves. In those days there were no gas pipes to burst and the conveniences of electricity were unknown. The survivors of that awful shock, however, had other sufferings which it is hoped will not be the fate of those in the present disaster. They suffered from famine, and it is stated that it was a common sight to see people fall in the streets from exhaustion. They suffered also from disease due to the eating of bad food to satisfy the cravings of hunger. Today, with means of communication developed, the quick transport of supplies reduces the danger both of starvation and disease. Already, due to the promptness of the Japanese authorities, supplies are pouring into the stricken area, and with modern organisation there ought to be no danger of the people being unfed.

At the same time it is doubtful whether what we have gained in this direction has not been lost in other directions indicated. It is true that an unfortunate combination of circumstances made the present disaster greater than would otherwise be the case. Depending upon a piped water supply which is destroyed by any earthquake above the average, we are no better in regard to fighting fire than were the inhabitants of Yedo in 1855 with their wells. The circumstances which increased the extent of the calamity were the fact that the shock came just when the midday meal was being prepared and in all house fires for cooking were being lit or were already alight. Added to this was a wind approaching typhoon force blowing at the time. Fire was inevitable since the buildings were practically destroyed at a blow, but had there been no wind it might have been possible to keep the fire within narrow bounds, although here again the time of the occurrence would almost have made a general conflagration certain. The bursting of gas pipes and the short circuiting of electric wires also no doubt were secondary causes of the conflagration. Thus all the material developments of civilisation add, to the terror of such occurrences, and against this we have the relief that quicker means of communication allow us to relieve the sufferers with out their being submitted to death by starvation.

Seismology has made great developments in the matter of telling us where earthquakes may be expected, but it cannot tell us when an earthquake may be expected, in spite of the seismologists of Japan —"socalled". Lord Redesdale described them—and it is a pity that a reflection on our knowledge of earthquakes should be thrown by statements such as "another earthquake may be expected although it is not certain." Such statements often occur in the Japanese papers as coming from seismologists, and to those who do not know that it is impossible to predict the time of an earthquake they only give additional anxiety and suffering. At the time of the Garter Mission a concert at the Academy of Music was broken up in disorder half way through the program because a report was circulated that another earthquake might be expected, following a slight one that had occurred a few hours previously. The report was said to come from the seismological experts and if it did was only a product of nerves. But if we cannot predict the time of an earthquake, we can, as stated before, define the limits within which earthquakes may be expected and thus take precautions for the relief of the sufferers when the earthquake comes. Immediate relief being one of the desiderata we can for instance provide earthquake areas with extra means of communication with the outside world and make the means of communication superior to parts where earthquakes are not so common. Thus the provision of extra railway lines to earthquake areas doubles the chances of escape of those within the area as the breaking down of one line would still leave others open. Efforts in such directions, while powerless to prevent the effect of earthquakes, would certainly alleviate the suffering they cause, and also assist in the reconstitution of the devastated area. Whether anything can be done to eliminate the after-effects of earthquakes in the way of preventing fire is doubtful. The primitive Japanese house, while catching alight very easily, from the light material with which it is constructed, does not prevent a very formidable fire centre save to buildings of a like construction. But when a modern building catches alight, however more difficult this may be, it presents a glowing furnace of fire which is infinitely more likely to scatter destruction all around. When to this is added the danger of gas pipes, water mains bursting and melting and electric short circuits, it is evident that earthquake areas should be provided with superior means of quenching fires to that of non-earthquake areas. To depend entirely on the water mains for a supply of water for quenching fire following earthquakes is to rely upon a broken reed, unless some means can be devised to make the water mains impregnable to earth quake shocks. Experiments in this direction might lead to some valuable results, but even then it is possible that the closing of wells would not be warranted.

It is possible that a disaster of the magnitude of that which has overtaken Tokio and Yokohama will not occur again for another hundred or two hundred years; on the other hand it might occur again next year, since all attempts to establish a periodicity in earthquakes have failed. It is true that general considerations two big earthquakes seldom if ever occur at the same place in succession, but this does not warrant us in deciding that this can never be the case. Lisbon has not had a big earthquake since 1755; Tokio's last big earthquake was in 1855, a hundred years later. The present disaster of the kind bids fair to surpass the Lisbon earthquake in the number of deaths, in proportion to the population and area, and while Libson has been free from such visitations for 168 years, Tokio has had two severe earthquake within 68 years, not a period which can be ignored as of no concern to one generation.

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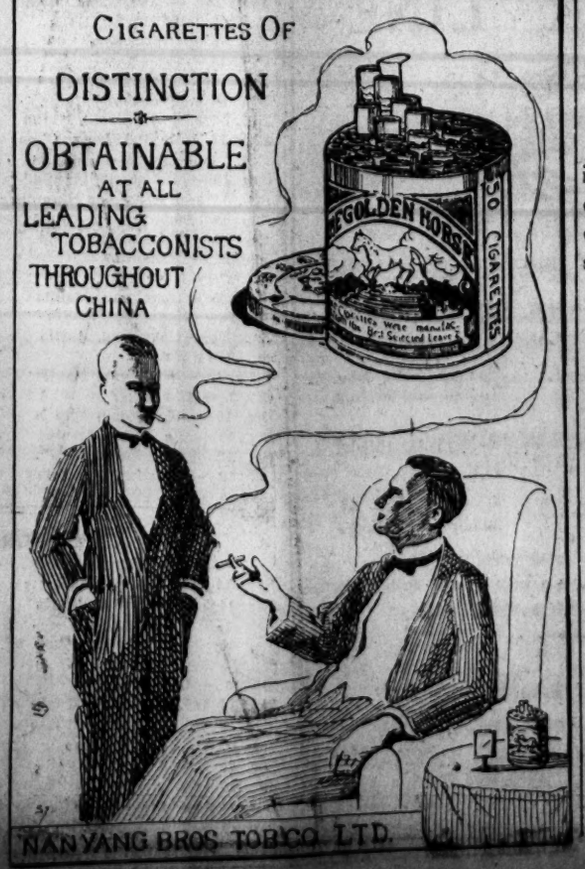

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RELIEF WORK

Early last week a relief committee was formed consisting of members of the British Women's Association and the American Woman's Club to provide hospitality and assistance of every description for the foreign victims of the catastrophe in Japan and it is a source of gratification to them that their appeal for donations of money and clothing has met with so generous a response.

The foreign refugees who arrived by the Empress of Canada were met by Members of this Committee, free hospitality was given them and those who applied at Headquarters, 12 Kiukiang Road were assisted with gifts of money and clothing.

Mrs. E. T. Byrne is Honorary Treasurer of this Fund and those refugees who require monetary help are requested to apply to her care of the B.W.A. 12 Kiukiang Road, between the hours of 10 and 12 a.m. Those in need of clothing may apply between the hours of 10 and 12 a.m. and 2 and 4 p.m. when everything possible will be done to meet their requirements.

As more ships are expected with refugees Mrs. H. Y. Irwine would be glad if those who are willing to extend free hospitality to them will communicate with her care of B.W.A., or with Mrs. Gardner Crane care of the American Woman's Club, 66 Szechuen Road, as soon as possible.

Proprietors of boarding houses or those with rooms to let are asked to get into touch with Mrs. Clear, "Westfields" Brennan Road, Tel. No. West 659.

Information is required by Mr. Bebenin of 96 Szechuen Road, Tel. No. C. 912, of any members of the Nicolsky-Kossineff family. Information is also wanted regarding:

Miss Gladys Mason, Miss M. Winstantley, Miss Mullins of the General Electric Co. Yokohama, Mr. and Mrs. Blom, Miss Nellie Scott (with Mr. and Mrs. Graham in Tokio, might have been in Kamakura).

There have been two inquiries from ladies willing to adopt foreign children not more than 14 months old who have been orphaned by the Earthquake in Japan. Will those who are interested please apply to this Association or the American Woman's Club.

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PROGRAM

1. Trio—Serenade .....Widor
   Elegie .....Tschaikowsky
   Miss Frieda Frommel ..Piano
   Mr. Tarnopolski .....Violin
   Mr. Schiller .....'Cello
2. Songs (a) I pitch my lonely Caravan at night
   Eric Coates
   (b) Tommy Lad E. J. Margetson
   Mr. E. R. Morrison
3. Songs (a) Angus MacDonald
   Joseph L. Roeckel
   (b) The Blind Ploughman
   Robert C. Clarke
   Mrs. Lyle
4. Songs (a) I Dream of a Garden of Sunshine
   Herman Lohr
   (b) Of the North I Sing
   Herbert Oliver
   Mr. C. F. Butt
5. Trio—Trio C. Minor Sternberg
   (a) Allegro Commodo
   (b) Andante cantabile
   (c) Allegro con brio
   Miss Frieda Frommel ..Piano
   Mr. Tarnopolski .....Violin
   Mr. Schiller .....'Cello
6. Songs (a) Hills of Donegal
   Sanderson
   (b) Manadaly .....Willeby
   Mr. F. E. Beatty
7. Songs (a) A dream of Child Days ..Wilfred Sanderson
   (b) My Light..Landon Ronald
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